

1    **Supplementary information for**

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3    **Construction of recombinant Pdu metabolosome shells**  
4        **for small molecule production in *C. glutamicum***

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16 **Construction of plasmids**

17 For the construction of the Pdu production and integration plasmids, the plasmids pJP063  
18 containing *pduABJKNUT*<sup>1</sup> and pED460 containing *pduA-X*<sup>2</sup> were used as initial PCR  
19 templates. All constructs derived from those plasmids are listed and construction procedures  
20 were described in Table S2. The DNA template ‘Protein\_scaffolds<sub>opt</sub>’ was synthesized  
21 (Sequence S1) and used as described in Table S4. The construction of different  
22 fluorescence reporter production plasmids is described in Table S5. Genomic template DNA  
23 from *Zymomonas mobilis* subsp. *mobilis* ATCC 29191 was kindly provided by Stephanie  
24 Bringer-Meyer and used for the amplification of the enzymes alcohol dehydrogenase B  
25 (AdhB; GenBank: AFN57379.1) and the pyruvate decarboxylase (Pdc; GenBank:  
26 AFN57569.1) All derived plasmids are listed in Table S6.

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28 **Compartment purification from MB001(DE3) *pduABJknt***

29 The compartments produced by MB001(DE3) *pduABJknt* were attempted to be purified using  
30 a protocol based on the compartment insolubility in YPER plus reagent and salt precipitation  
31<sup>3</sup>. In the final supernatant fraction, three of six compartment shell proteins were detected by  
32 MALDI-MS (Fig. S3).

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34 **Material and Methods - Metabolosome purification**

35 For compartment purification from *C. glutamicum* MB001(DE3) *PduABJknt*, 200 mL CGXII  
36 medium supplemented with 2% glucose and 50 µM IPTG were inoculated with precultures to  
37 an OD<sub>600</sub> of 0.5 and cultivated for 16 h at 25 °C. Before cell lysis, the cells were harvested  
38 and washed with lysozyme buffer (50 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8, 5 mM EDTA, 0.6 M sucrose, 0.2%  
39 1,2-propanediol, w/o lysozyme). The cell pellet was resuspended in 100 mL lysozyme buffer  
40 (containing 2 mg ml<sup>-1</sup> lysozyme) and incubated for 1 h at room temperature. Afterwards, the  
41 cells were washed with lysozyme buffer and re-suspended in 50 mL Y-PER™ Plus  
42 Dialyzable Yeast Protein Extraction Reagent (Thermo Fischer Scientific, Waltham, USA)  
43 supplemented with EDTA-free Protease Inhibitor Cocktail tablets (Roche Diagnostics,

44 Mannheim, Germany) and Benzonase® nuclease and incubated at room temperature for 1 h.  
45 The cell suspension was sonicated for 10 minutes with 1 minute sonication (Amplitude: 80%;  
46 Output: 8; Branson Sonifier 250 G; Heinemann Ultraschall- und Labortechnik, Schwäbisch  
47 Gmünd, Germany) and 1 minute cooling intervals. Cell debris and intact cells were separated  
48 from cell lysate by centrifugation at 4000 g for 15 min at 4 °C. Starting from the cell lysate,  
49 the protocol from Lawrence *et al.* was followed <sup>3</sup>. In contrast to the original protocol, the NaCl  
50 concentration was raised to 160 mM NaCl (instead of 80 mM) to precipitate the compartment  
51 shells.  
52 The different protein fractions were separated using 4-20% Mini-PROTEAN® TGX™ Precast  
53 Protein Gels (Biorad, Hercules, USA) in the Mini-PROTEAN Tetra Cell System (Bio-Rad).  
54 Precision Plus Protein™ Dual Color Standard (Bio-Rad, Hercules, USA) was used as protein  
55 standard and gels were stained with Rapid Stain™ (G-Biosciences, St. Louis, USA).  
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## 71 Figures and Tables

### 72 Sequence S1: Synthesized 'Protein\_scaffolds<sub>opt</sub>' sequences.

73 > GBD<sub>lig</sub>  
 74 CTGGTGGCGCACTGATGCACGTGATGCAGAAGCGCTCCCGCGCAATCCACTCCTCGATGAAGGCGAAGA  
 75 TCAGG CAGGCGATGAAGATGAAGAT  
 76 > SH3<sub>dom</sub>  
 77 GCAGAGTATGTGCGTGCCTCTTGACTTTAATGGTAATGATGAAGAAGATCTCCCTTAAGAAAGGAGACA  
 78 TCC TGC GCG ATCC GCG ATA AGC CTG AAG AGC AGT GG TGA AT GC AG AGG AC AG CG AAG GAA AG CG CG GT AT  
 79 GATT CCT GT CC CT TA CGT GG AGA AGT AT CGC  
 80 > PDZ<sub>dom</sub>  
 81 CTCCAGCGTCGCCGCGTGACGGTGCACGCCGACGCCGGTCTGGGCATCAGCATCAAGGGTGGC  
 82 CGTGAAAACAAGATGCCTATTCTCATTCCAAGATCTCAAGGGACTGGCAGCAGACCAGACGGAGGCCCTT  
 83 TTTGTTGGTGTGCCATCCTGTCTGTGAATGGTGAAGATTGTCCTCTGCCACCCACGATGAAGCGGTACAG  
 84 GCCCTCAAGAAGACCGGCAAGGAGGTTGGAGGTTAAGTACATGAAGGAGGTCTCACCTATTCAAG  
 85 > GBD<sub>dom</sub>  
 86 ACCAAGGCAGATATTGAACTCCATCCAATTCCAGCACATTGGACATGTTGGTTGGGATCCAAATACCGGTT  
 87 TTGATCTAAATAATTGGATCCAGAATTGAAGAATCTTTGATATGTGTGGTATCTGAGGCCAGCTTAA  
 88 GACCGCGAAACTCAAAAGTTATTGACTTTATTGAAAAAACTGGAGGTGTAGAAGCTGTTAAAATGAAC  
 89 CCGTCGCCAACGACCA  
 90 > C17<sub>P.m.</sub> with (GGGS)<sub>2</sub>GG linker  
 91 GGC GGTGGCTCCGGCGGTTCCGGCGGTACCGAAGAAAACGTGGAACGCATCATCAAGGAAGTGCTGG  
 92 GCCGCCTGGGCAAG  
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 94 **Table S1: Strains and plasmid used within this work.** \**pdu* genes marked in lower case have an exchanged start codon from ATG to GTG/TTG.  
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Strain or plasmid	Relevant characteristics	Source or reference
<b><i>E. coli</i></b>		
DH5 $\alpha$	F <sup>-</sup> endA1 $\Phi$ 80d $/lacZ\Delta M15$ $\Delta(lacZYA-argF)U169$ recA1 relA1 hsdR17(rK <sup>-</sup> <sup>4</sup> mK <sup>+</sup> ) deoR supE44 thi-1 gyrA96 phoA λ <sup>-</sup> ; strain used for general cloning procedures	
<b><i>C. glutamicum</i></b>		
MB001	Type strain ATCC 13032 with deletion of prophages CGP1 (cg1507-cg1524), CGP2 (cg1746-cg1752), and CGP3 (cg1890-cg2071)	<sup>5</sup>
MB001(DE3)	MB001 derivative with chromosomally encoded T7 gene 1 (cg1122- $P_{lacI}-lacI$ $P_{lacUV5}-lacZ\alpha$ -T7 gene 1-cg1121)	<sup>6</sup>
MB001(DE3)::P <sub>T7</sub> pduABJKN	MB001(DE3) derivative with <i>pduABJKNT</i> from <i>C. freundii</i> under control of P <sub>T7</sub> in the CGP1 region	This work
MB001(DE3)::P <sub>T7</sub> pduA	MB001(DE3) derivative with <i>pduA</i> from <i>C. freundii</i> under control of P <sub>T7</sub> in the CGP1 region	This work
MB001(DE3)::P <sub>T7</sub> pduABJknt*	MB001(DE3) derivative with <i>pduABJknt</i> from <i>C. freundii</i> under control of P <sub>T7</sub> in the CGP1 region	This work
<b>Plasmids</b>		
pAN6	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; <i>C. glutamicum/E. coli</i> shuttle plasmid for regulated gene expression using P <sub>tac</sub> (P <sub>tac</sub> lacI <sup>R</sup> pBL1 oriV <sub>Cg</sub> pUC18 oriV <sub>Ec</sub> )	<sup>7</sup>

pEC-XC99E	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; <i>C. glutamicum/E. coli</i> shuttle plasmid for regulated gene expression using P <sub>trc</sub> (P <sub>trc</sub> lacI <sup>a</sup> pGA1 oriV <sub>Cg</sub> , oriV <sub>Ec</sub> )	8
pEC-P <sub>tetR</sub>	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; <i>C. glutamicum/E. coli</i> shuttle plasmid for regulated gene expression using P <sub>tetR</sub> (pGA1 oriV <sub>Cg</sub> , oriV <sub>Ec</sub> )	This work
pMKEx1	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; <i>C. glutamicum/E. coli</i> shuttle vector based on pJC1 for expression of target genes under control of the T7 promoter (P <sub>T7</sub> , lacO1, N-term. strep tagII, MCS, C-term. His tag, pHM1519 oriCg; pACYC177 oriEc)	6
pVWEx2	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; <i>C. glutamicum/E. coli</i> shuttle vector for regulated gene expression; (Ptac, lacIQ, pCG1 oriVC.g., pUC18 oriV E.c.)	9
pET3a_pduABJKNUT (pJP063)	Amp <sup>R</sup> ; overexpression vector with T7 promoter for expression of seven shell genes	10
pET14b-pdu65 (pED460)	Amp <sup>R</sup> ; cloning vector containing pduA, pduB, pduC, pduD, pduE, pduG, pduH, pduJ, pduK, pduL, pduM, pduN, pduO, pduP, pduQ, pduS, pduT, pduX	2
pEKEx2_eyfpasv	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tac</sub> ; overexpression of eyfp, includes gene sequence for the C-terminal <i>C. glutamicum</i> SsrA tag variation AAEKSQRDYAASV	11
pAN6_pduA-X	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tac</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of all pdu genes (as present on pET14b-pdu65)	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJKNUT	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of all pdu shell genes	This work
pMKEx1_PduA	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduA	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJKNTU <sub>native</sub>	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for expression of the native pduABJKNTU operon	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJKN	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJKN	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJKNU	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJKNU	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJkN*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJkN	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJkNu*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJkNu	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJkNut*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJkNut	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJkn*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJkn	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJknt*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJknt	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJkNt*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJkNt	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJkn*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJkn	This work
pMKEx1_pduJ	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduJ	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJKnut*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJKnut	This work
pMKEx1_pduABJKnt*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJKnt	This work
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>PDZlig</sub>	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduA C-terminally tagged with PDZligand (GGCGTGAAGGAATCCCTGGTG); Linker: GGATCTGGTCCGGCTCCGGTTCCGGC [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>SH3lig</sub>	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduA C-terminally tagged with SH3ligand (CCACCACCACTGCCACCAAAGCGCCGCCGC); Linker: [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>GBDlig</sub>	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduA C-terminally tagged with GBDligand (Sequence S1); Linker: [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>PDZligBJknt</sub> *	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJknt with PduA C-terminally tagged with PDZligand	This work
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>SH3ligBJknt</sub> *	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of pduABJknt with PduA C-terminally tagged with SH3ligand	This work
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>GBDligBJknt</sub> *	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>T7</sub> ; overexpression vector for production of PduABJknt with PduA C-terminally tagged with GBDligand	This work
pK19mobSacB	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; vector for allelic exchange in <i>C. glutamicum</i> (oriT oriV <sub>Ec</sub> sacB lacZα)	12
pK19_CGP1int_P <sub>T7</sub> -eyfp	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; pK19mobSacB derivative for allelic integration of eyfp under control of P <sub>T7</sub> into CGP1 region	Meike Baumgart
pK19_pduABJKNUT	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; Derivative of pK19-CGP1int_P <sub>T7</sub> -eYFP, eYFP was exchanged with pduABJKNUT	This work

pK19_pduABJknt*	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; Derivative of pK19-CGP1int_P <sub>T7</sub> -eYFP, eYFP was exchanged with pduABJknt*	This work
pK19_pduA	Kan <sup>R</sup> ; Derivative of pK19-CGP1int_P <sub>T7</sub> -eYFP, eYFP was exchanged with pduA	This work
pEC_P18eyfp	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; derivative of pEC_P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with P18 targeting peptide (ATGAACACTTCAGAACCTTGAAACCCATTATTG TAACATTTGAGTGAGCAACTT); Linker: AGATCT [BglII]	This work
pEC_P18eyfp <sub>asv</sub>	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; derivative of pEC_P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with P18 targeting peptide and asv degradation peptide, linker: [BglII]; Asv tag (GCAGCAGAAAAGAGCCAACGTGATTACGCTGCATCAGTT)	This work
pEC_D18eyfp	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; derivative of pEC_P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with D18 targeting peptide (ATGGAAATCAATGAAAAGCTGCTGCGCCAGATTATTGAAGACGTA CTGTCTGAA); linker: [BglII]	This work
pEC_D18eyfp <sub>asv</sub>	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with D18 targeting peptide and asv degradation peptide; linker: [BglII]	This work
pEC_D18eyfp_P18cfp	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with D18 targeting peptide and cfp tagged with P18 targeting peptide; Linker: AGATCT [BglII]	This work
pEC_eyfp <sub>PDZdom</sub>	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with C-terminal PDZdomain (Sequence S1); Linker: GGATCTGGTCCGGCTCCGGTCCGGC [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pEC_eyfp <sub>SH3dom</sub>	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with C-terminal SH3domain (Sequence S1); Linker: [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pEC_eyfp <sub>GBDdom</sub>	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with C-terminal GBDdomain (Sequence S1); Linker: [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pEC_eyfpC18 <sub>K.p.</sub>	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with C-terminal targeting peptide from <i>K. pneumonia</i> (AACGAACAGAACGTGGA ACCGCGTATCCGCCAGGTGCTGGAACGCCTGGCAAAG) Linker: GGCGGTGGCTCCGGCGGCCGGTCCGGCGGT [(GGGS) <sub>2</sub> GG]	This work
pEC_eyfpC18 <sub>P.m.</sub>	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp tagged with C-terminal targeting peptide from <i>P. mirabilis</i> ; Linker: [(GGGS) <sub>2</sub> GG]; C18 peptide (ACCGAAGAAAACGTGGAACGCATCATCAAGGAAGTGCTGGGCCG CCTGGGCAAG)	This work
pEC_eyfp-P18	Cm <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tetR</sub> ; regulated expression of eyfp C-terminally tagged with P18 targeting peptide; linker: [(GGGS) <sub>2</sub> GG]	This work
pVWEx2-pdc	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; derivative of pVWEx2, expression of pdc from <i>Z. mobilis</i> under control of constitutive P <sub>tuf</sub> promoter	This work
pVWEx2-P18-Ndel-pdc	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; P18pdc expression; Linker: GAATTC [Ndel]	This work
pVWEx2-P18-GS-pdc	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; P18pdc expression ; Linker GGTCT [GS]	This work
pVWEx2-P18-GSGS-pdc	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; P18pdc expression; Linker: GGTCTGGCTCC [GSGS]	This work
pVWEx2-adhB	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; derivative of pVWEx2, expression of adhB from <i>Z. mobilis</i> under control of constitutive P <sub>tuf</sub> promoter	This work
pVWEx2-D18-GSGS-adhB	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; D18adhB expression; Linker: GGTCTGGCTCC [GSGS]	This work
pVWEx2-D18-10aa-adhB	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; D18adhB expression; Linker: AGGGCTCTGGATCGACATCAGGCTCCGGT [10 aa]	This work
pVWEx2-D60-adhB	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; D60adhB expression; No linker	This work
pVWEx2_adhB-GBD <sub>dom</sub>	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; adhB-GBD <sub>dom</sub> expression; Linker: GGATCTGGTCCGGCTCCGGTCCGGC [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pVWEx2_adhB-SH3 <sub>dom</sub>	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; adhB-SH3 <sub>dom</sub> expression; Linker: [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pVWEx2_adhB-PDZ <sub>dom</sub>	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; adhB-PDZ <sub>dom</sub> expression; Linker: [(GS) <sub>4</sub> G]	This work
pVWEx2-P <sub>tuf</sub> adhB_pdc	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; adhB and pdc expression	This work
pVWEx2-D18-GSGS-adhB_P18pdc	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; D18adhB and P18pdc expression; Linker between D18 and adhB: [GSGS]; Linker between P18 and pdc: [Ndel]	This work
pVWEx2-D18-10aa-adhB_P18pdc	Tet <sup>R</sup> ; P <sub>tuf</sub> ; D18adhB and P18pdc expression; Linker between D18 and adhB: [10aa]; Linker between P18 and pdc: [Ndel]	This work

97 **Table S2: Number of cells with ‘BMC-like’ structures.** Cells were counted to contain ‘BMC’-like if they  
 98 contained at least 1 closed BMC-like structure.

Strain	Cells with ‘BMC-like’	No BMCs	Total	% of cells with ‘BMC’-like
MB001(DE3) <i>pduABJKNUT</i>	8	192	200	4%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduA<sub>PDZ</sub>ligBJknt</i>	115	85	200	58%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduA<sub>GBD</sub>ligBJknt</i>	68	132	200	34%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduA<sub>SH3</sub>ligBJknt</i>	45	155	200	23%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduABJknt</i>	91	109	200	46%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduABJkNt</i>	76	124	200	38%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduABJKnut</i>	12	188	200	6%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduABJkNut</i>	105	95	200	53%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduABJkn</i>	51	149	200	26%
MB001(DE3) <i>pduABJkN</i>	57	143	200	29%
MB001(DE3)::P <sub>T7</sub> <i>pduABJknt</i>	38	162	200	19%
MB001(DE3)	7	193	200	4%

100 **Table S3: Amino acid distribution of different C- and N-terminal targeting peptides.** Adapted from <sup>13</sup>.

	Aliphatic I,L,V	Aromatics F,W,Y	Hydrophylic K,R, D,E, Q, N	Tiny G,A,S	H	C	M,T	P
<i>AldhDH_C17, Klebsiella pneumoniae</i>								
NEQNVERVIRQVLERLA	35.3%	0.0%	58.8%	5.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>AldhDH_C17, Proteus mirabilis</i>								
TEENVERIIKEVLGRLG	35.3%	0.0%	47.1%	11.8%	0.0%	0.0%	5.9%	0.0%
<i>PduD(2-18), Citrobacter freundii</i>								
NEKLLRQIIEDVLSEMQ	35.3%	0.0%	52.9%	5.9%	0.0%	0.0%	5.9%	0.0%
<i>PduP(2-18), Citrobacter freundii</i>								
NTSELETLIRNILSEQL	35.3 %	0.0 %	41.1 %	11.8%	0.0%	0.0%	11.8%	0.0%

102 **Table S4: Construction of Pdu production plasmids.** Numbers represent oligonucleotide pairs used for PCR  
 103 (Table S7). The DNA template used for amplification is given in brackets behind the oligonucleotides followed by  
 104 the information on the plasmid backbone and the restriction enzymes used for linearization.

Plasmids	Construction
pAN6_ <i>pduA-X</i>	Gibson assembly: 725/726 and 727/728 (pED460) and pED460 *Ascl *KpnI into pAN6 *NdeI *EcoRI
pAN6_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i>	Gibson assembly: 725/729 (pET3a_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i> ) into pAN6 *NdeI *EcoRI
pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i>	Gibson assembly: 036/028 (pAN6_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i> ) into pMKEx1 *BamHI *Ncol
pMKEx1_ <i>PduA</i>	Gibson assembly: 140/159 (pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i> ) into pMKEx1 *BamHI * XbaI
pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJKNTU<sub>native</sub></i>	Gibson assembly: 140/178 (pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i> ), 179/180, 181/182 and 183/174 (pAN6_ <i>pduA-X</i> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJkN</i>	Gibson assembly: 140/168 and 167/176 (pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJkNu</i>	Gibson assembly: 140/168, 167/170 and 169/174 (pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJkNut</i>	Gibson assembly: 140/168, 167/170, 169/172, 171/028 (pMKEx1_ <i>pduABJKNUT</i> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI

pMKEx1_pduABJkn	Gibson assembly: 140/168neu 167neu/200 199/176 (pMKEx1_pduABJkN <sub>ut</sub> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduABJknt	Gibson assembly: 140/168neu, 167neu/200, 199/202 and 201/028 (pMKEx1_pduABJkN <sub>ut</sub> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduABJkNt	Gibson assembly: 140/168neu, 167neu/202 and 201/028 (pMKEx1_pduABJkN <sub>ut</sub> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduJ	Gibson assembly: 232/184 (pMKEx1_pduABJKNUT) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduABJKnut	Gibson assembly: 140/200 (pMKEx1_pduABJKNUT) and 199/028 (pMKEx1_pduABJkN <sub>ut</sub> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduABJKnt	Gibson assembly: 140/200 (pMKEx1_pduABJKNUT) and 199/028 (pMKEx1_pduABJkN <sub>t</sub> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>GBDlig</sub> BJKNUT	Gibson assembly: 137/138 (Protein_scaffolds <sub>opt</sub> ), 136/726 and 139/140 (pMKEx1_pduABJKNUT) into pMKEx1_PduABJKNUT *Ascl * XbaI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>SH3lig</sub> BJKNUT	Gibson assembly: 139/140 and 142/726 (pMKEx1_pduABJKNUT) into pMKEx1_PduABJKNUT *Ascl * XbaI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>PDZlig</sub> BJKNUT	Gibson assembly: 139/140 and 141/726 (pMKEx1_pduABJKNUT) into pMKEx1_PduABJKNUT *Ascl * XbaI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>PDZlig</sub> Bjknt	Gibson assembly: 240/028 (pMKEx1_pduABJkN <sub>t</sub> ) and 140/242 (pMKEx1_pduA <sub>PDZlig</sub> BJKNUT) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>SH3lig</sub> Bjknt	Gibson assembly: 243/140 pduA <sub>SH3lig</sub> BJKNUT and 240/028 (pMKEx1_pduABJkN <sub>t</sub> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>GBDlig</sub> Bjknt	Gibson assembly: 241/140 (pMKEx1_pduA <sub>GBDlig</sub> BJKNUT) and 240/028 (pMKEx1_pduABJkN <sub>t</sub> ) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>PDZlig</sub>	Gibson assembly: 140/156 (pMKEx1_pduA <sub>PDZlig</sub> Bjknt) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>SH3lig</sub>	Gibson assembly: 140/157 (pMKEx1_pduA <sub>SH3Zlig</sub> Bjknt) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
pMKEx1_pduA <sub>GBDlig</sub>	Gibson assembly: 140/158 (pMKEx1_pduA <sub>GBDlig</sub> Bjknt) into pMKEx1 *XbaI *BamHI
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pK19_pduA	Gibson assembly: 197/198 (pMKEx1_pduA) into pK19_CGP1int_P <sub>T7</sub> eyfp *XbaI *BplI

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106 **Table S5: Construction of different fluorescence reporter production plasmids.** Numbers represent  
 107 oligonucleotide pairs used for PCR (Table S7). The DNA template used for amplification is given in brackets  
 108 behind the oligonucleotides followed by the information on the plasmid backbone and the restriction enzymes  
 109 used for linearization.

Plasmid	Construction
pEC-P <sub>tetR</sub>	Gibson assembly: 780/012 (pCL-TON1) into pEC-XC99E *PstI *NdeI
pEC_eyfp	Cloning: 008/009 (pEKEx2_eyfp <sub>asv</sub> )*BcuI *EcoRI ligated into pEC-TetR *BcuI * EcoRI
pEC_P18	Cloning: 003/004 (pED460)*BglII *EcoRV ligated into pEC-TetR *BglII *EcoRV
pEC_D18	Cloning: 005/006 (pED460)*BglII *EcoRV ligated into pEC-TetR *BglII *EcoRV
pEC_P18eyfp	Cloning: 007/013 (pEKEx2_eyfp <sub>asv</sub> ) *BglII *BcuI into pEC_P18 *BglII *BcuI
pEC_P18eyfp <sub>asv</sub>	Cloning: 007/014 (pEKEx2_eyfp <sub>asv</sub> ) *BglII *BcuI into pEC_P18 *BglII *BcuI
pEC_D18eyfp	Cloning: 007/013 (pEKEx2_eyfp <sub>asv</sub> ) *BglII *BcuI into pEC_D18 *BglII *BcuI
pEC_D18eyfp <sub>asv</sub>	Cloning: 007/014 (pEKEx2_eyfp <sub>asv</sub> ) *BglII *BcuI into pEC_D18 *BglII *BcuI
pEC_D18eyfp_P18cfp	Gibson assembly: 215/217 (pEC_D18eyfp), 216/218 (cfp) into pEC_P18eyfp *BcuI
pEC_eyfp <sub>PDZdom</sub>	Gibson assembly: 143/144 (Protein_scaffolds <sub>opt</sub> ) into pEC_eyfp *BcuI
pEC_eyfp <sub>SH3dom</sub>	Gibson assembly: 145/146 (Protein_scaffolds <sub>opt</sub> ) into pEC_eyfp *BcuI
pEC_eyfp <sub>GBDdom</sub>	Gibson assembly: 147/148 (Protein_scaffolds <sub>opt</sub> ) into pEC_eyfp *BcuI

pEC_eyfp-P18	Gibson assembly: 109/114 (pEC_eyfp) and 116/115 (pEC-P18eyfp) into pEC_TetR *EcoRV *Bcul
pEC_eyfp-C17 <sub>K.p.</sub>	Gibson assembly: 109/131 (pEC_eyfp(GGGS)2GG_P18) and 109/132 (PCR product 109/131) into pEC_TetR *EcoRV *Bcul
pEC_eyfp-C17 <sub>P.m.</sub>	Gibson assembly: 109/114 (pEC_eyfp) and 134/135 (Protein_scaffolds <sub>opt</sub> ) into pEC_TetR *EcoRV *Bcul

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111 **Table S6: Construction of AdhB and Pdc production plasmids.** Numbers represent oligonucleotide pairs used  
 112 for PCR (**Fehler! Verweisquelle konnte nicht gefunden werden.**). The DNA template used for amplification is  
 113 given in brackets behind the oligonucleotides followed by the information on the plasmid backbone and the  
 114 restriction enzymes used for linearization.

Plasmid	Construction
pVWEx2_pdc	Gibson assembly: K15/K16 ( <i>Z. mobilis</i> genome) into pVWEx2 *XbaI *Sall
pVWEx2_P18-Ndel-pdc	Gibson assembly: K24/K16 ( <i>Z. mobilis</i> genome) and K27/K28 (pEC_P18eyfp) into pVWEx2 *XbaI *Sall
pVWEx2_P18-GS-pdc	Gibson assembly: K26/K16 ( <i>Z. mobilis</i> genome) and K30/K27 (pEC_P18eyfp) into pVWEx2 *XbaI *Sall
pVWEx2_P18-GSGS-pdc	Gibson assembly: K25/K16 ( <i>Z. mobilis</i> genome) and K29/K27 (pEC_P18eyfp) into pVWEx2 *XbaI *Sall
pVWEx2_adhB	Gibson assembly: K14/K13 ( <i>Z. mobilis</i> genome) into pVWEx2 *XbaI *Sall
pVWEx2_D18-GSGS-adhB	Gibson assembly: K14/K19 ( <i>Z. mobilis</i> genome) and K34/K23 (pEC_D18eyfp) into pVWEx2 *XbaI *Sall
pVWEx2_D18-10aa-adhB	Gibson assembly: K35/K14 ( <i>Z. mobilis</i> genome) and K20/K36 (pVWEx2_D18-GSGS-adhB) into pVWEx2 *XbaI *Sall
pVWEx2_D60-adhB	Gibson assembly: K33/K14 ( <i>Z. mobilis</i> genome) and K34/K32 (pET14b-pdu65) into pVWEx2 *XbaI *Sall
pVWEx2_adhB-GBD <sub>dom</sub>	Gibson assembly: K13/257 (pVWEx2-adhB) and 258/260 (pEC_eyfp <sub>GBDdom</sub> ) into pVWEx2 *Sall*XbaI
pVWEx2_adhB-SH3 <sub>dom</sub>	Gibson assembly: K13/257 (pVWEx2_adhB) and 258/261 (pEC_eyfp <sub>SH3dom</sub> ) into pVWEx2 *Sall*XbaI
pVWEx2_adhB-PDZ <sub>dom</sub>	Gibson assembly: K13/257 (pVWEx2_adhB) and 258/259 (pEC_eyfp <sub>PDZdom</sub> ) into pVWEx2 *Sall*XbaI
pVWEx2-P <sub>tuf</sub> adhB_pdc,	Gibson assembly: K38/K16 (pVWEx2_pdc) and K13/K39 (pVWEx2-adhB) into pVWEx2 *Sall*XbaI
pVWEx2-P <sub>tuf</sub> D18-GSGS-adhB_P18pdc	Gibson assembly: K20/K39 (pVWEx2_D18-GSGS-adhB) and K37/K16 (pVWEx2_P18-Ndel-pdc) into pVWEx2 *Sall*XbaI
pVWEx2-P <sub>tuf</sub> D18-10aa-adhB_P18pdc	Gibson assembly: K20/K39 (pVWEx2-D18-10aa-adhB) and K37/K16 (pVWEx2_P18-Ndel-pdc) into pVWEx2 *Sall*XbaI

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116 **Table S7: Oligonucleotides used in this study.**

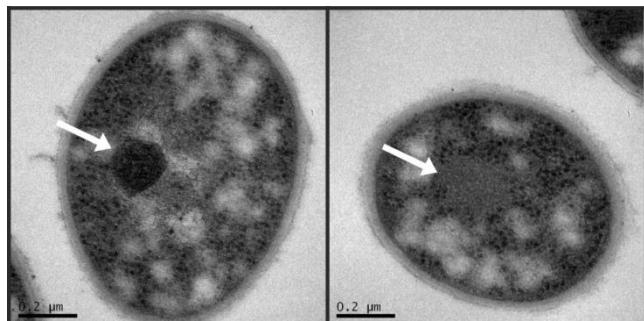
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(007)	ACGTAGATCTGTGAGCAAGGGCGAGGAGCT

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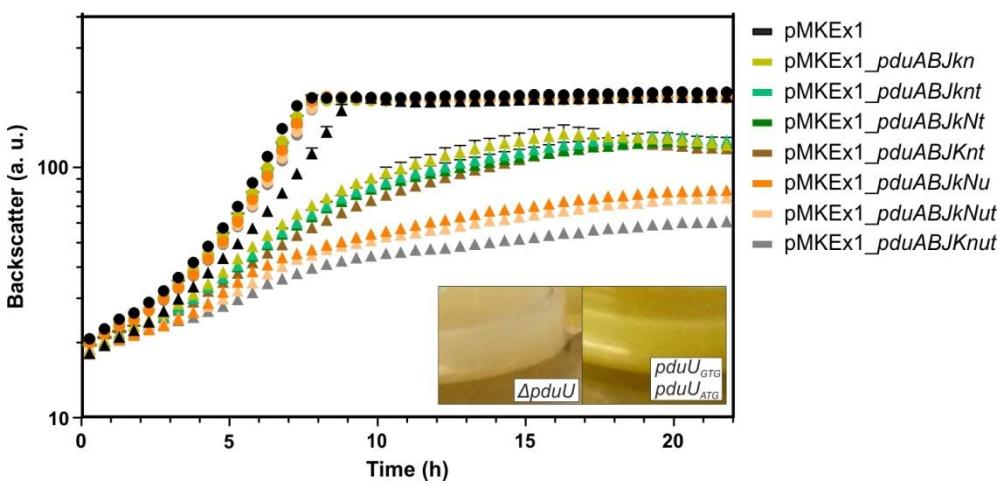
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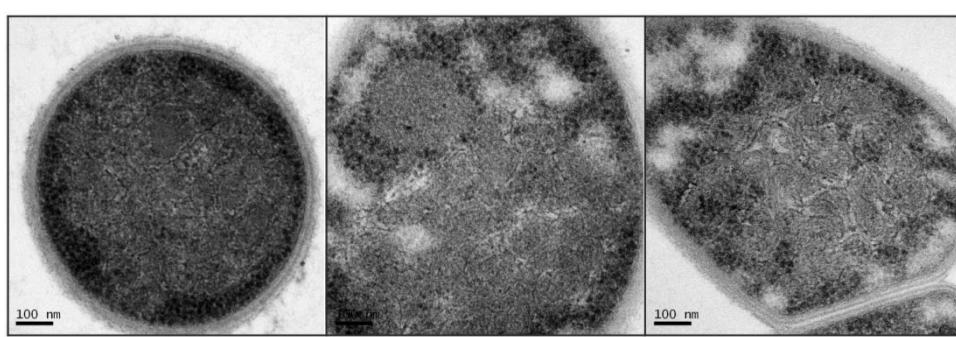
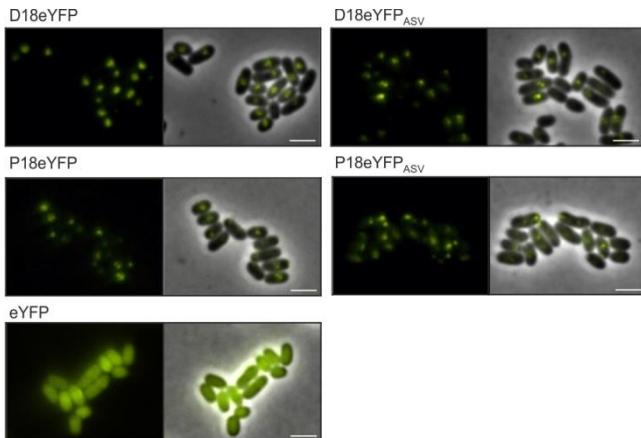
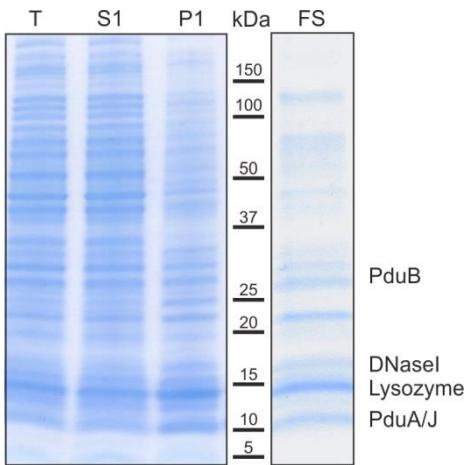
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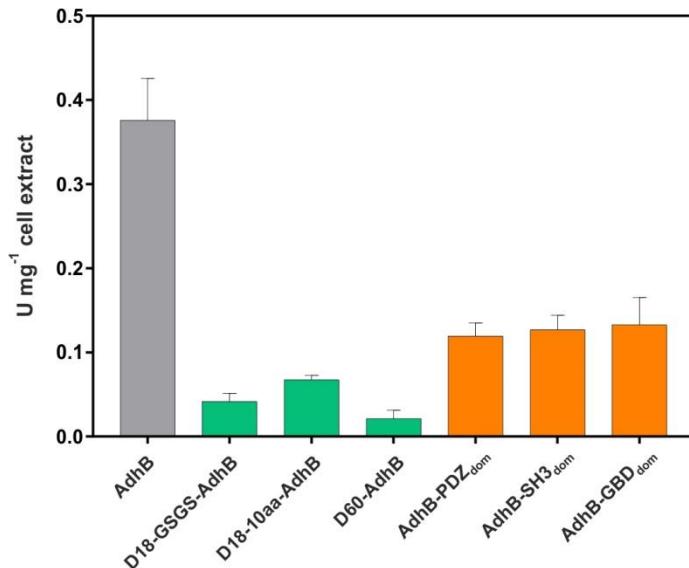
119 **Figure S1: Transmission electron microscopy of *C. glutamicum* MB001(DE3).** Arrow in the left image marks  
120 volutin granule <sup>14</sup> and arrow within the right image an unknown artefact.



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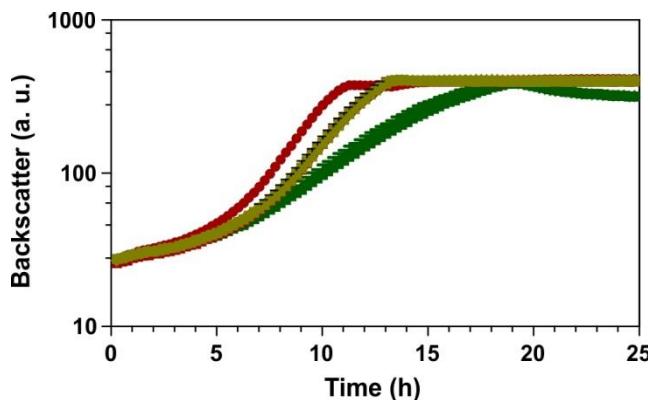
122 **Figure S2: Growth of different *C. glutamicum* MB001(DE3) Pdu production strains. A** Growth in CgXII + 2%  
123 (w/v) glucose. Triangles: Induction with 50 μM IPTG; Circles: 0 μM IPTG;





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**Figure S6: Activity measurements of AdhB versions in crude cell extracts.** As proof-of-principle, we wanted to examine the enzyme activities of alcohol dehydrogenase (AdhB) versions tagged the synthetic C-terminal interaction domain SH3, GBD and PDZ. The constitutive  $P_{tuf}$  promoter was used for the production of the enzymes in MB001(DE3) to achieve a moderate expression. The untagged AdhB version showed an activity of 0.376  $U \text{ mg}^{-1}$  cell extract. All C-terminal tagged AdhB versions (AdhB-GBD<sub>dom</sub>, AdhB-PDZ<sub>dom</sub>, AdhB-SH3<sub>dom</sub>) have a similarly reduced activity with 0.119, 0.127 and 0.133  $U \text{ mg}^{-1}$  cell extract and, thus, showed a 2-fold higher activity than the best D18-AdhB version. In comparison to the untagged AdhB version, the AdhB-domain versions maintain 30% of the activity. The C-terminal targeting was proven to enhance enzyme activity for AdhB in comparison to the N-terminally tagged versions and provide a novel alternative for enzyme targeting into BMCs. We also assume that the enhancement of activity with C-terminal targeting can be transferred to other metabolic enzymes.



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**Figure S7: Aerobic cultivation of ethanol production strains.** MB001(DE3) (red, circles) was used as control. MB001(DE3) (red, squares) and MB001(DE3)::P<sub>T7</sub>PduABJknt (light green, squares) produced AdhB/Pdc, D18-GGSG-AdhB/P18Pdc or D18-GGSG-AdhB/P18Pdc and showed very similar growth performance. Induction of PduABJknt production (50  $\mu\text{M}$ , dark green) resulted in identically declined growth in all strains.

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