



# Unveiling the Effect of *NCgl0580* Gene Deletion on 5-Aminolevulinic Acid Biosynthesis in *Corynebacterium glutamicum*

Table S1. Strains and plasmids used in this study.

Strains/Plasmids	Description	Source
Strains		
<i>E. coli</i> DH5 $\alpha$	Host for plasmid construction	Lab stock
J0	<i>C. glutamicum</i> ATCC13032 $\Delta$ <i>ldhA</i> $\Delta$ <i>pqo</i> $\Delta$ <i>cat</i> $\Delta$ <i>pta</i> $\Delta$ <i>ackA</i> $\Delta$ <i>pck</i> <i>Pppc::Psod</i>	Lab stock
JT	J0 harboring pXPT	This study
JS	J0 harboring pXPS	This study
JP	J0 harboring pXPP	This study
JG	J0 harboring pXPG	This study
JSC	JS harboring pEC-XK99E	This study
JSC1	JS harboring pEC-NCgl0580	This study
JSC2	JS harboring pEC-NCgl2065	This study
JSD1	JS $\Delta$ NCgl0580	This study
JSD1C	JS $\Delta$ NCgl0580 harboring pEC-XK99E	This study
JSD1C1	JS $\Delta$ NCgl0580 harboring pEC-NCgl0580	This study
JSD2	JS $\Delta$ NCgl2065	This study
JSD3	JS derivative with the insertion of three termination codon TAA before 10th, 18th and 27th amino acids of <i>NCgl0580</i>	This study
JSD4	JS $\Delta$ NCgl0581	This study
JSD5	JS $\Delta$ NCgl0580 $\Delta$ NCgl0581	This study
JSC3	JS harboring pEC-NCgl0581	This study
JSCZ1	JS harboring pEC-NCgl1445	This study
JSCZ2	JS harboring pEC- <i>iolT1</i>	This study
JSCZ3	JS harboring pEC- <i>pyk2</i>	This study
JSCZ4	JS harboring pEC- <i>aceA</i>	This study
JSCZ5	JS harboring pEC- <i>afuABC</i>	This study
JSCZ6	JS harboring pEC- <i>pstSCAB</i>	This study
JSCZ7	JS harboring pEC- <i>ugpQ</i>	This study
JSDZ1	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i>	This study
JSDZ2	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i>	This study
DZ1C	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i> harboring pEC-XK99E	This study
DZ1C1	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i> harboring pEC-NCgl1445	This study
DZ1C2	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i> harboring pEC- <i>iolT1</i>	This study
DZ1C3	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i> harboring pEC- <i>pyk2</i>	This study
DZ1C4	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i> harboring pEC- <i>aceA</i>	This study
DZ1C5	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i> harboring pEC- <i>afuABC</i>	This study
DZ1C6	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i> harboring pEC- <i>pstSCAB</i>	This study
DZ1C7	JS $\Delta$ <i>sdhCAB</i> harboring pEC- <i>ugpQ</i>	This study
DZ2C	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i> harboring pEC-XK99E	This study
DZ2C1	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i> harboring pEC-NCgl1445	This study
DZ2C2	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i> harboring pEC- <i>iolT1</i>	This study
DZ2C3	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i> harboring pEC- <i>pyk2</i>	This study
DZ2C4	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i> harboring pEC- <i>aceA</i>	This study
DZ2C5	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i> harboring pEC- <i>afuABC</i>	This study
DZ2C6	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i> harboring pEC- <i>pstSCAB</i>	This study
DZ2C7	JS $\Delta$ <i>gdhA</i> harboring pEC- <i>ugpQ</i>	This study

Plasmids		
pXMJ19	Cm <sup>r</sup> , <i>C. glutamicum</i> /E. coli shuttle vector	Lab stock
pXK	Derived from pXMJ19, deletion of <i>tac</i> promoter and <i>lacIq</i>	Lab stock
pXPS	Derived from pXK, carrying <i>hemA</i> from <i>Rhodobacter palustris</i> with amino acid sequence mutation C75A/R365K under the control of <i>sod</i> (C131T) promoter	This study
pXPT	Derived from pXK, carrying <i>hemA</i> from <i>Rhodobacter palustris</i> with amino acid sequence mutation C75A/R365K under the control of <i>tuf</i> promoter	This study
pXPP	Derived from pXK, carrying <i>hemA</i> from <i>Rhodobacter palustris</i> with amino acid sequence mutation C75A/R365K under the control of <i>pgk</i> promoter	This study
pXPG	Derived from pXK, carrying <i>hemA</i> from <i>Rhodobacter palustris</i> with amino acid sequence mutation C75A/R365K under the control of <i>glyA</i> promoter	This study
pEC-XK99E	Kan <sup>r</sup> ; <i>C. glutamicum</i> /E. coli shuttle vector	Lab stock
pEC-NCgl0580	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>NCgl0580</i>	This study
pEC-NCgl2065	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>NCgl2065</i>	This study
pEC-NCgl0581	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>NCgl0581</i>	This study
pEC-NCgl1445	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>NCgl1445</i>	This study
pEC- <i>iolT1</i>	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>iolT1</i>	This study
pEC- <i>pyk2</i>	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>pyk2</i>	This study
pEC- <i>aceA</i>	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>aceA</i>	This study
pEC- <i>afuABC</i>	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>afuABC</i>	This study
pEC- <i>pstSCAB</i>	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>pstSCAB</i>	This study
pEC- <i>ugpQ</i>	Derived from pEC-XK99E, for overexpression of <i>ugpQ</i>	This study
pD-SacB	Kan <sup>r</sup> ; vector for gene deletion	Lab stock
pD-NCgl0580	pD-SacB containing upstream and downstream of gene <i>NCgl0580</i>	This study
pD-NCgl0581	pD-SacB containing upstream and downstream of gene <i>NCgl0581</i>	This study
pD-NCgl0580TAA	pD-SacB containing upstream and downstream of gene <i>NCgl0580</i> and insertion of three termination codon TAA before 10th, 18th and 27th amino acids of <i>NCgl0580</i>	This study
pD- <i>gdhA</i>	pD-SacB containing upstream and downstream of gene <i>gdhA</i>	This study
pD- <i>sdhCAB</i>	pD-SacB containing upstream and downstream of gene <i>sdhCAB</i>	This study

**Table S2.** Primers used in the construction of plasmids.

Primers	DNA sequence (5' - 3')	Digest Sites
pXPP-1	cgtgaggtaccggtgtttctctggtacgacaacg	<i>KpnI</i>
pXPP-2	cgtagttcatgcggtactccttgagatttgattg	
pXPP-3	caaggagtacggcatgaactacgaagcctactccgtc	
pXPP-4	ctacagaattcttaggcggctttgtagggccac	<i>EcoRI</i>
pXPT-1	gctccggtacctggccgttacctgcgaatgtccac	<i>KpnI</i>
pXPT-2	ggaagtaggcttcgtagttcattgtatgtcctcctggacttcgtggtg	
pXPT-3	ccacgaagtccaggaggacatacaatgaactacgaagcctacttcc	
pXPT-4	ctacagaattcttaggcggctttgtagggccac	<i>EcoRI</i>
pXPG-1	cgtgaggtaccgaatccattgtgcaccttagctactc	<i>KpnI</i>
pXPG-2	tcgtagttcatcaggtcagctaacctttcacaagac	
pXPG-3	gtagctgacctgatgaactacgaagcctacttcgctc	
pXPG-4	ctacagaattcttaggcggctttgtagggccac	<i>EcoRI</i>
pXPS-1	cgtgaggtacctagctgccaattattccgggcttggtg	<i>KpnI</i>
pXPS-2	gtaggcttcgtagttcatgggtaaaaatcctttcgtag	
pXPS-3	cctacgaaaggatttttacccatgaactacgaagcctacttc	
pXPS-4	ctacagaattcttaggcggctttgtagggccac	<i>EcoRI</i>

NCgl0580-F	gcacgtctagaaaaggaggacaacccatgaataaacagtcgcgtgcag- tggt	<i>XbaI</i>
NCgl0580-R	cgcgctctgcagggttaactaggtgtgtgtactcg	<i>SdaI</i>
NCgl2065-F	gcacgtctagaaaaggaggacaacccgtgaatgatgtggtgaagac	<i>XbaI</i>
NCgl2065-R	cgcgctctgcaggctaggagggcgctgcaaag	<i>SdaI</i>
NCgl0581-F	gcacggagctcaaaggaggacaacccgtgctcaatctcaaccgttacac	<i>SacI</i>
NCgl0581-R	ctgcaggatcctcactctactagacgagcctcca	<i>BamHI</i>
NCgl1445-F	gcacgggtaccaaaggaggacaacccatggcggtaccgcaagaac	<i>KpnI</i>
NCgl1445-R	cgcgctctagattagtggttagctttctacccaaag	<i>XbaI</i>
iolT1-F	gcacgggtaccaaaggaggacaacccatggctagtaccttcattcagg	<i>KpnI</i>
iolT1-R	cgcgctctgcagggttagtgacctttcttttcggatg	<i>SdaI</i>
pyk2-F	gcacgtctagaaaaggaggacaacccatgcaggcccgctcaag	<i>XbaI</i>
pyk2-R	cgcgctctgcagggttactctccagctcttcaccttg	<i>SdaI</i>
aceA-F	gcacgtctagaaaaggaggacaacccatgtcaaacgttgaaagccac	<i>XbaI</i>
aceA-R	cgcgctctgcaggctagtgttggaactggccttcttc	<i>SdaI</i>
afuABC-F	gcacgggtaccaaaggaggacaacccatgtcttgaagcacccttg	<i>KpnI</i>
afuABC-R	gctagcccggttaatccgcgcggtagaccatc	<i>SmaI</i>
pstSCAB-F	gcacgggatccaaaggaggacaacccatgaacctcactcttaagcgctc	<i>BamHI</i>
pstSCAB-R	gcacgtctagattatccgaagcgccgagatg	<i>XbaI</i>
ugpQ-F	gcacggagctcaaaggaggacaacccatgaaagtcacgcgcaccgag	<i>SacI</i>
ugpQ-R	gcacgggtacctagtcttcttgccatgcgca	<i>KpnI</i>
pD-NCgl0580-1	gctagcccggtgactctactagacgagcctccaaataag	<i>SmaI</i>
pD-NCgl0580-2	ggtaagcctgcacggcccttgattattgcaaagaaac	
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pD-NCgl0580-4	ctgcaggatcctggcatattgacgcctacaagtttg	<i>BamHI</i>
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pD-NCgl0581-3	gtaatactgaacaattttggaggtgtcgttctgtgagccttcagac	
pD-NCgl0581-4	gcggtcctgcaggctactccattcgatggttctctggtg	<i>SdaI</i>
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pD-sdhCAB-4	ctgcacctgcaggcttcaaagtagttcagggtgaggcac	<i>SdaI</i>
pD-gdhA-1	gctagcccggtgcccgcgaaactgagga	<i>SmaI</i>

pD-gdhA-2	cgcaggggtcgatttctcgttcccatctcggctg	
pD-gdhA-3	cgaggaaatcgaccctgcgcttacttaaac	
pD-gdhA-4	ctgcacctgcaggccggcaggcttgaaatcaactc	<i>SdaI</i>

**Table S3.** Codon-optimized coding sequence of gene *hemA* from *Rhodopseudomonas palustris* (*hemARP*).

Gene	DNA sequence (5' - 3')
<i>hemARP</i>	atgaactacgaagcctacttccgtcgccagctggatggctgcatcggaaggccgctac- cgtgtgttcgccgatctggaacgtcatgccggttccttcccacgcgcaaccatcacctccagaggggtgccggc gacgtcacctgtggtgctccaacgattatctgggtatgggtcagcatccagcagtgtctgac- cgccatgcacgaagcactggattctgccggcgccggtgccggtggcactcgtaacattgccggcaccaaccac taccagtgctgctggagcaagaactcgagcactgcacggcaaggaatccgcac- tctcttcacctcggctatgtctcaactgggctctctgtccactctggcatcccgcatgccgggtcgtgcatcc tctccgacgaactgaatcacgcctccatgatcgaaggcatccgtcac- tccgctctgaaaccgcacatttgcacacaacgatctcgcgatctggaacgtaagctcgagatctggatcctc acgccccaaagctggctcgattcgagtcggtgtactccatggacggcga- tctcgccccaatcgagaaatctgcgacgtggccgatgcacacaacgccatgacctatctggatgaggtccacg gtgtcggcctctacggtccaaacggcggtggtatcgccgatcggaaggcatttccac- cgtctgaccatcatcgaaggcactctggccaaggcattcgggtggtcggtggctacattgccggctcttcgcc gtgtgcgacttcgtgctctcttgcctcggcttattcttctacctctctccac- cagccgtggcagccggcgactggcctctatccgcatctccgcgatcctctgccgagcggaacgtcatcaa gatcgctgcacgtctgcgcgcacgtctggatcaagccggcgtgg- cacacatgccaaaccatctcacatctgccagtatggtcggtgacgcagccctctgcaaacagatctctgacg agctcatctccgctatggcatctacgtgcagcctatcaactatccaaccgtgccaaaggg- caccgagcgtctccgtatcactccatccccacaacacaccgacgccgatatcgaacacctcgtgcaagcactgtc cgaaatctggactcgcgtgggctcgcaaaagccgcctaa

**Table S4.** Primers used for RT-qPCR.

Primers	DNA sequence (5' - 3')
sdhA-U	gcgtcatcgaccacatgaacg
sdhA-D	cggttgtccacgggtgtag
afuA-U	gggtcatgagctcgatgtcag
afuA-D	cgctacatcaacttctctgtgtc
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hemB-D	gagatctcacgtgcctcagt
hemE-U	cctgagtacaagaaggctccgtg
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hrrA-U	ggatttcacgtggcttctg
hrrA-D	cccacgtgaactggaagttc
hrrS-U	cctgcccatacgagattccact
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**Table S5.** The raw data of significant differentially expressed genes between JSD1 and JS.

Details in Excel Table S5

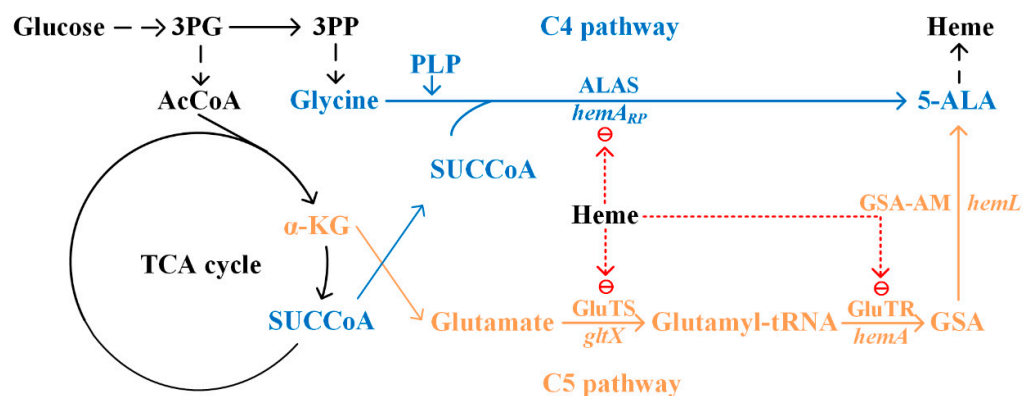
**Table S6.** The relative transcriptional level of genes in metabolic pathways of *C. glutamicum* JS and JSD1.

Gene	Product	log <sub>2</sub> FoldChange	
		RT-PCR	RNA-seq
<i>pyk2</i>	pyruvate kinase	1.80	2.42
<i>pfkA</i>	6-phosphofructokinase	2.53	1.62
<i>glk2</i>	glucokinase	1.16	1.23
<i>NCgl1445</i>	MFS transporter	2.12	4.18
<i>gltA</i>	citrate synthase	-0.38	-2.04
<i>sucA</i>	pyruvate and 2-oxoglutarate dehydrogenases, E1 component	-1.07	-0.82
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<i>sucD</i>	succinate-CoA ligase subunit alpha	1.62	1.71

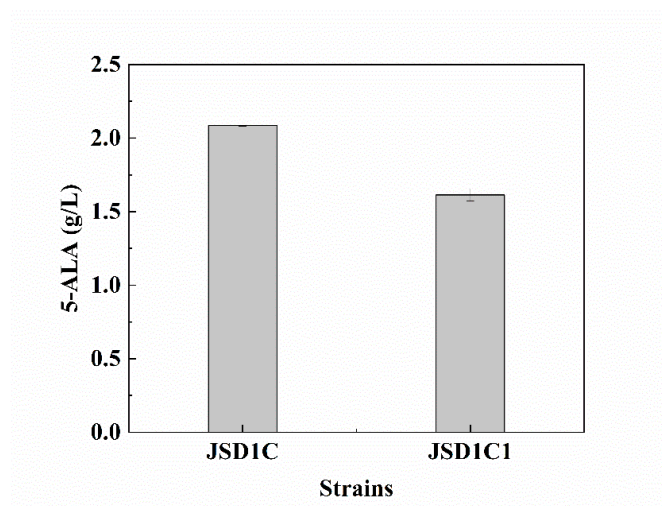
<i>aceA</i>	isocitrate lyase	0.79	1.94
<i>sfcA</i>	NADP-dependent malic enzyme	1.27	1.40
<i>hemB</i>	prophobilinogen synthase	-0.49	-0.41
<i>hemE</i>	uroporphyrinogen decarboxylase	-0.69	-2.14
<i>hemH</i>	ferrochelatase	0.52	-0.86
<i>gdhA</i>	NADP-specific glutamate dehydrogenase	-1.46	-2.21
<i>hrrS</i>	sensor histidine kinase	-2.30	-1.11
<i>hrrA</i>	response regulator transcription factor	0.41	1.95
<i>groES</i>	co-chaperone	2.27	2.59
<i>groL</i>	chaperonin	1.88	1.43
<i>NCgl0581</i>	LysR substrate-binding domain-containing protein	4.07	6.92
<i>atpG</i>	F0F1 ATP synthase subunit gamma	-0.58	-1.10
<i>qcrB</i>	cytochrome bc1 complex cytochrome b subunit	-2.26	-2.20
<i>ctaC</i>	cytochrome c oxidase subunit II	-1.41	-2.22
<i>cydB</i>	cytochrome d ubiquinol oxidase subunit II	-2.91	-4.84
<i>sdhA</i>	fumarate reductase/succinate dehydrogenase flavoprotein subunit	-3.32	-3.99
<i>afuA</i>	ABC transporter substrate-binding protein	2.35	4.48
<i>pstA</i>	phosphate ABC transporter permease	3.76	3.95
<i>gluD</i>	amino acid ABC transporter permease	-1.70	-1.12
<i>urtD</i>	urea ABC transporter ATP-binding protein	-5.17	-7.44

**Table S7.** The raw data of pathway enrichment analysis of the differentially expressed genes between JSD1 and JS.

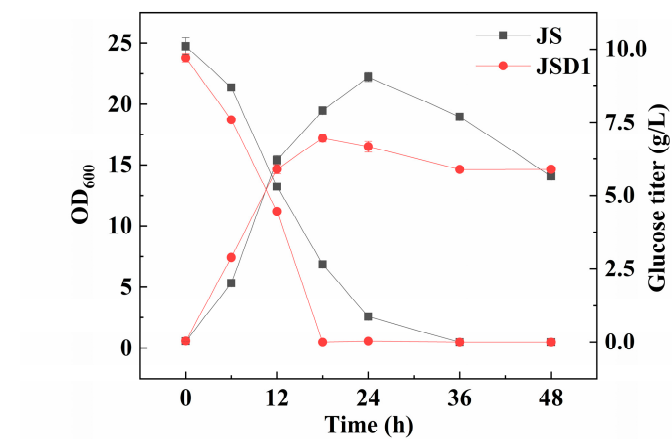
Details in Excel Table S7



**Figure S1.** An overall metabolic pathway for 5-ALA biosynthesis. The blue font and lines represent the C4 pathway. The orange font and lines represent the C5 pathway. The dashed black line indicates several continuously enzymatic reactions, and the dashed red line indicates feedback inhibition. 3PG, 3-phosphoglycerate; α-KG, α-oxoglutarate; SUCCoA, Succinyl-CoA; PLP, Pyridoxal 5'-phosphate; GluTS, glutamyl-tRNA synthetase; GluTR, glutamyl-tRNA reductase; GSA, glutamate-1-semialdehyde; GSA-AM, glutamate-1-semialdehyde aminotransferase.



**Figure S2.** Effect of plasmid-based *NCgl0580* overexpression in JSD1 strain on 5-ALA biosynthesis. JSD1C1 is the strain overexpressing *NCgl0580* compared with the JSD1C strain (JSD1 harboring pEC-XK99E).



**Figure S3.** Determination of cell growth and sugar consumption of strains JS and JSD1.