

Table S1. Bacterial strains and plasmids used in this study

Strain or plasmid	Description	Reference
Strains		
<i>S. coelicolor</i>		
M145	Wild-type, SCP1 ⁻ SCP2 ⁻	(Kieser, 2000)
$\Delta mtrA$	<i>mtrA::aac(3)IV</i>	This study
3012/13C- $\Delta mtrA$	$\Delta mtrA$ complemented with pCom-3012/13 _{SCO}	This study
3013C- $\Delta mtrA$	$\Delta mtrA$ complemented with pCom-3013 _{SCO}	
<i>S. lividans</i>		
1326	Wild-type	(Kieser, 2000)
Δsli_{3357}	<i>sli_{3357::aac(3)IV}</i>	This study
C- Δsli_{3357}	Δsli_{3357} complemented with pCom-3013 _{SCO}	This study
<i>S. venezuelae</i>		
ISP5230	Wild-type	(Glazebrook et al., 1990)
$\Delta sven_{2756}$	<i>sven_{2756::aph}</i>	This study
C- $\Delta sven_{2756}$	$\Delta sven_{2756}$ complemented with pCom-2756 _{SVEN}	This study
<i>E. coli</i>		
XL1-Blue MR	Strain used for genomic library construction	Stratagene
Novablue	General cloning strain	Novagen
Transetta BL21	Strain used for protein expression	Sangon
ET12567(pUZ8002)	Strain used for conjugation between <i>E. coli</i> and <i>Streptomyces</i>	(Kieser, 2000)
BW25113	Strain used for PCR-targeting	(Gust et al., 2003)
Plasmids		
SuperCos I	Vector for genomic library costruction	Stratagene
pMD18-T	General cloning vector	Takara
pCR-BLUNT	General cloning vector	Invitrogen
pJTU1278	<i>E. coli-Streptomyces</i> shuttle vector	(He et al., 2010)
pMu-2756	pJTU1278 carrying a 5.3 kb fragment with a 2.1 kb left flanking sequence, a 1.2 kb kanamycin cassette, and a 2.0 kb right flanking sequence, of the deleted sequence of <i>sven_{2756}</i>	This study
pEX- <i>mtrA</i>	<i>mtrA</i> expression plasmid	This study
pMS82	<i>Streptomyces</i> integrative vector with hygromycin resistance	(Gregory et al., 2003)
pCom-3013 _{SCO}	pMS82 with the 687-bp coding sequence of <i>mtrA</i> and 792-bp upstream sequence from <i>S. coelicolor</i> M145	This study
pCom-3012/13 _{SCO}	pMS82 with the coding sequence of <i>mtrA</i> , <i>mtrB</i> , and upstream sequence from <i>S. coelicolor</i> M145	This study
pCom-2756 _{SVEN}	pMS82 with the 678-bp coding sequence of <i>sven_{2756}</i> and 822-bp upstream sequence from <i>S. venezuelae</i> ISP5230	

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