

Membrane-stress caused by unprocessed outer membrane lipoprotein intermediate, pro-Lpp affects DnaA and Fis-dependent growth

Supplementary Material

Supplementary Figure 1: Ectopic expression of Lpp(C21G) inhibits growth.

(A) Growth, and (B) Viability of *lpp-null* cells with an increasing concentration of IPTG with 0 μ M (black), 10 μ M (green), 50 μ M (red), 100 μ M (purple), and 1000 μ M (orange) for the expression of Lpp in M9+CAA+Glu media. (C) Growth, and (D) Viability of *lpp-null* cells in the presence of an increasing concentration of IPTG with 0 μ M (black), 10 μ M (green), 50 μ M (red), 100 μ M (purple), and 1000 μ M (orange) for the expression of Lpp(C21G) in M9+CAA+Glu media. Viability is expressed in cfu/ml and presented on a linear scale. Bar denotes a standard error. Data are means $\pm$ SEM of at least three independent experiments. *** $p < 0.001$, ns $p > 0.05$ in one-way ANOVA with Dunnett's multiple comparison test. Serial dilutions of *lpp-null* cells spotted on varying concentrations of IPTG to induce (E) Lpp and (F) Lpp(C21G) on M9+CAA+Glu agar plates. (G) Immunoblotting analysis to compare plasmid-derived Lpp in *lpp-null* cells with endogenous Lpp (ten-fold dilution) from BW25113. (H) Immunoblotting for the detection of Lpp(C21G). Loading controls for immunoblotting are ponceau-S staining for total protein normalization presented in greyscale.

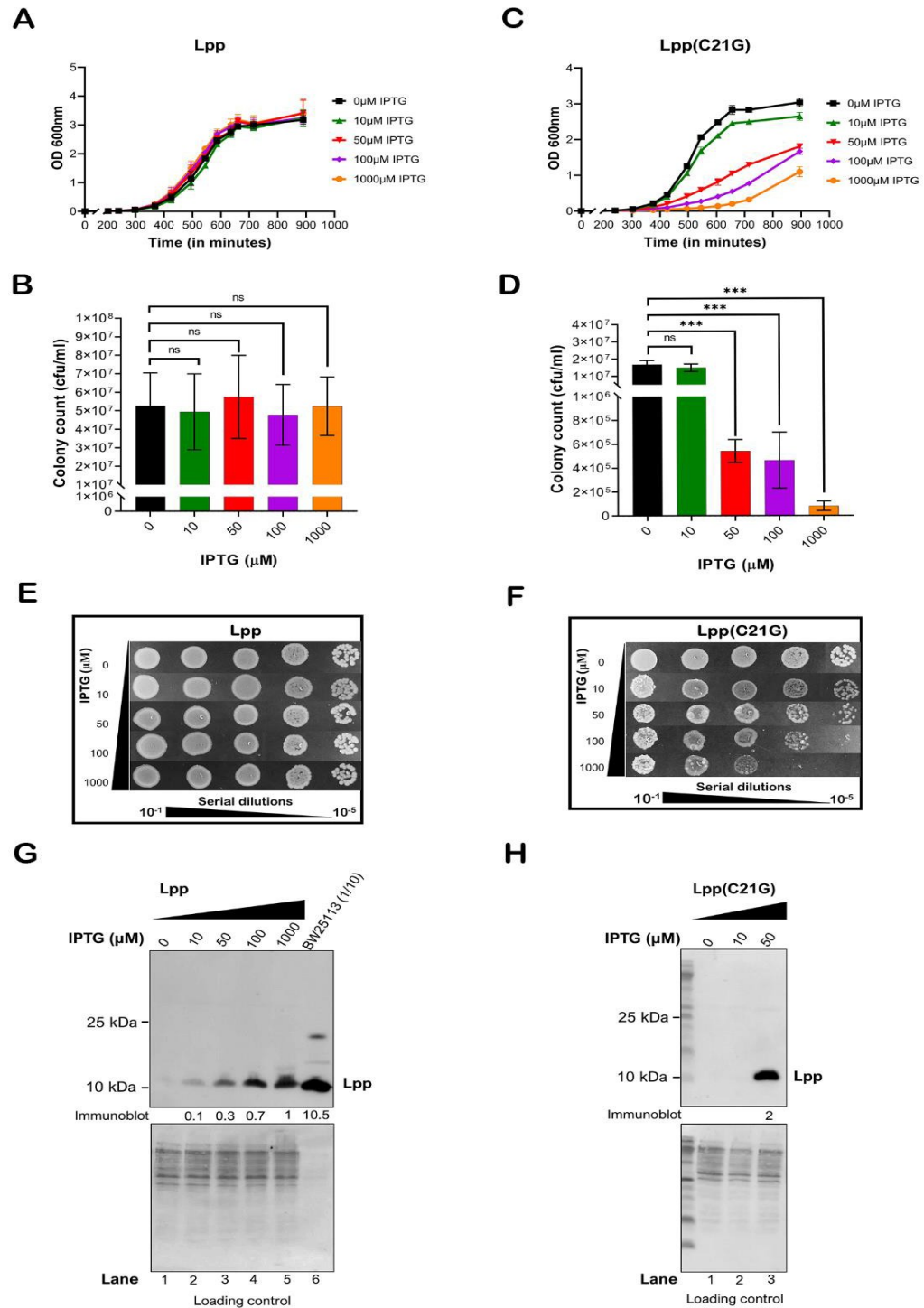
Supplementary Figure 2: Overexpression of DnaA fails to alleviate growth inhibition due to Lpp(C21G).

(A) Viability of *lpp-null* cells expressing DnaA and Lpp(C21G). No inducer control (black), in the presence of 0.2% Arabinose (green) for DnaA, 50 μ M IPTG (red) for Lpp(C21G), and 50 μ M

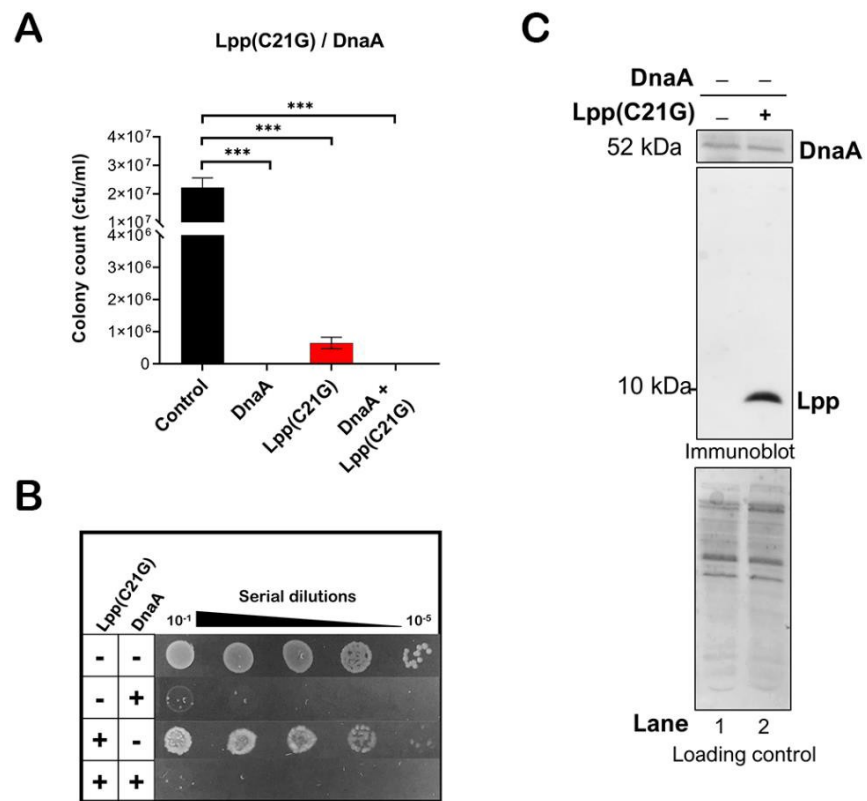
IPTG + 0.2% Arabinose (purple) for both Lpp(C21G) and DnaA expression in M9+CAA+Glu media. **(B)** Serial dilutions of *lpp-null* cells capable of expressing plasmid-derived Lpp(C21G) and DnaA on agar plates. **(C)** Immunoblotting for the detection of DnaA and Lpp(C21G). Loading control for immunoblotting is ponceau-S staining for total protein normalization presented in greyscale. Viability is expressed in cfu/ml and presented on a linear scale. Data are means $\pm$ SEM of at least three independent experiments. *** $p < 0.001$, in one-way ANOVA with Dunnett's multiple comparison test.

Supplementary Figure 3: Lack of either HU, IHF, or SeqA unable to alleviate inhibited growth due to overexpression of Lpp(C21G)

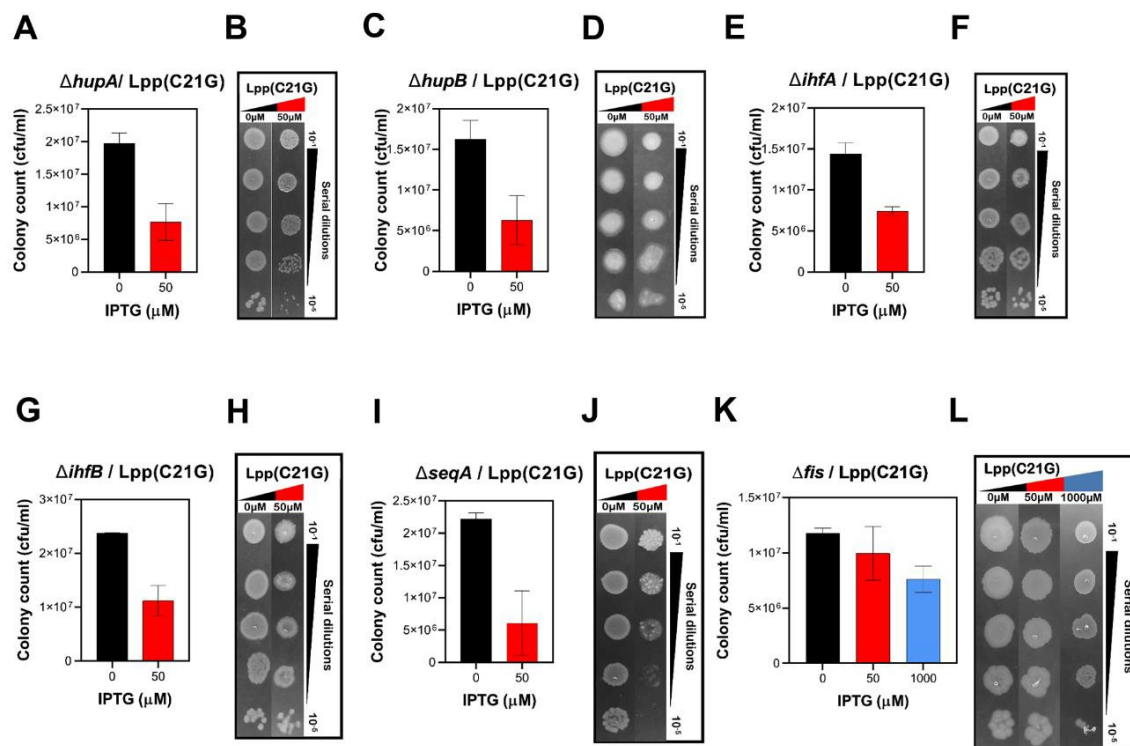
(A) Viability, and **(B)** Serial dilutions of *hupA-null lpp-null* cells expressing Lpp(C21G). No inducer control (black), and in the presence of 50 μ M IPTG (red) for Lpp(C21G) expression in M9+CAA+Glu media. **(C)** Viability, and **(D)** Serial dilutions of *hupB-null lpp-null* cells expressing Lpp(C21G). No inducer control (black), and in the presence of 50 μ M IPTG (red) for Lpp(C21G) expression in M9+CAA+Glu media. **(E)** Viability, and **(F)** Serial dilutions of *ihfA-null* cells expressing Lpp(C21G). No inducer control (black), and in the presence of 50 μ M IPTG (red) for Lpp(C21G) expression in M9+CAA+Glu media. **(G)** Viability, and **(H)** Serial dilutions of *ihfB-null* cells expressing Lpp(C21G). No inducer control (black), and in the presence of 50 μ M IPTG (red) for Lpp(C21G) expression in M9+CAA+Glu media. **(I)** Viability, and **(J)** Serial dilutions of *seqA-null lpp-null* cells with plasmids expressing Lpp(C21G). No inducer control (black), and in the presence of 50 μ M IPTG (red) for Lpp(C21G) expression in M9+CAA+Glu media. **(K)** Viability, and **(L)** Serial dilutions of *fis-null lpp-null* cells with plasmids expressing Lpp(C21G). No inducer control (black); in the presence of 50 μ M IPTG (red), 1000 μ M IPTG (blue) for Lpp(C21G) expression in M9+CAA+Glu media. Viability is expressed in cfu/ml and presented on a linear scale. Data are means $\pm$ SEM of at least two independent experiments.



Supplementary Figure 1



Supplementary Figure 2



Supplementary Figure 3

Supplementary Table 1

Strain	Genotype	Source or Reference
BW25113	F ⁻ , Δ [<i>araD-araB</i>]567, Δ <i>lacZ</i> 4787[::rrnB-3], λ^- , <i>rph-1</i> , Δ [<i>rhaD-rhaB</i>]568, <i>hsdR</i> 514, <i>lacI</i> ⁺	Datsenko et al., 2000
JW1667-5	BW25113, Δ <i>lpp</i> -752::kan,	Baba et al., 2006
DAP1001	JW1667-5, Δ <i>fis</i> ::cam	This study
JW3964-1	BW25113, Δ <i>hupA</i> 771::kan	Baba et al., 2006
DAP1002	JW3964-1, Δ <i>lpp</i> ::cam	This study
JW0430-3	BW25113, Δ <i>hupB</i> 726::kan	Baba et al., 2006
DAP1003	JW3964-1, Δ <i>lpp</i> ::cam	This study
JW1702-1	BW25113, Δ <i>ihfA</i> 786::kan	Baba et al., 2006
JW0895-3	BW25113, Δ <i>ihfB</i> 735::kan	Baba et al., 2006
JW0674-1	BW25113, Δ <i>seqA</i> 735::kan	Baba et al., 2006
DAP1004	JW0674-1, Δ <i>lpp</i> ::cam	This study
JW3229-1	BW25113, Δ <i>fis</i> 779::kan	Baba et al., 2006
JW1683-1	BW25113 Δ <i>cutC</i> 728::kan,	Baba et al., 2006
DAP1005	JW1683-1, Δ <i>lpp</i> ::cam	This study
DAP1006	JW1683-1, Δ <i>fis</i> ::spec Δ <i>lpp</i> ::cam	This study
MDL12	MG1655 <i>pgsA</i> 30::kan , F[<i>lacOP-pgsA</i> +] <i>lacZ'</i> , <i>lacY</i> ::Tn9	Xia et al., 1995
DAP1007	MDL12, Δ <i>fis</i> ::spec	This study
DAP1008	MDL12, Δ <i>cutC</i> ::tet	This study
DAP1009	MDL12, Δ <i>fis</i> ::spec, Δ <i>cutC</i> ::tet	This study
DH5 α	F ⁻ , Δ [<i>argF-lac</i>]169, ϕ 80 <i>dlacZ</i> 58[M15], Δ <i>phoA</i> 8, <i>glnX</i> 44[As], λ^- , <i>deoR</i> 481, <i>rfbC</i> 1, <i>gyrA</i> 96[NalR], <i>recA</i> 1, <i>endA</i> 1, <i>thiE</i> 1, <i>hsdR</i> 17	Lab stock
Plasmids		
pC2	<i>pBR322</i> , <i>lacI</i> , <i>Amp</i> ^R , <i>lpp</i> ^P - <i>lac</i> ^{PO} - <i>lppCys</i> ²¹ -Gly	Inouye et al.,1983
pC2-Lpp	<i>pBR322</i> , <i>lacI</i> , <i>Amp</i> ^R , <i>lpp</i> ^P - <i>lac</i> ^{PO} - <i>lpp</i>	This study
pSC	<i>p15A</i> , <i>araC</i> , <i>Tet</i> ^R , P _{BAD}	This study
pSC(<i>dnaA</i>)	<i>p15A</i> , <i>araC</i> , <i>Tet</i> ^R , P _{BAD} - <i>dnaA</i>	This study
pSC(<i>dnaAL366K</i>)	<i>p15A</i> , <i>araC</i> , <i>Tet</i> ^R , P _{BAD} - <i>dnaA</i> (L366K)	This study
pSC-Fis	<i>p15A</i> , <i>araC</i> , <i>Tet</i> ^R , P _{BAD} - <i>fis</i>	This study
pKD-sg-ack	<i>pSC101</i> , <i>ori</i> ^{TS} , <i>araC</i> , <i>Spect</i> ^R , P _{BAD} - <i>gam bet exo</i> P _{Tet} - <i>sg-ack</i>	Reisch et al., 2015
pSIJ8	<i>pSC101</i> , <i>ori</i> ^{TS} , <i>araC</i> , <i>Amp</i> ^R , P _{BAD} - <i>gam bet exo</i>	Jensen et al., 2015

Supplementary Table 2

Primers	Description	Primer Sequence	Source
CP1	Fwd.- Chloramphenicol cassette	GTCCAAGCGAGCTCGATATCAA	This study
CP2	Rev.- Chloramphenicol cassette_1	GTTGATCGGGCACGTAAGAGG	This study
CP3	Fwd.- Lpp	ATGAAAGCTACTAACTGGTACTGGGCG	This study
CP4	Rev.- Lpp	TTACTTGCGGTATTTAGTAGCCATGTTGTC	This study
CP5	Fwd.- <i>Δlpp::cam</i> [w/ 50bp homology arm]	aatactgtaacgtacatggagattaactcaatctagagggtattaataGTC CAAGCGAGCTCGATATCAA	This study
CP6	Rev.- <i>Δlpp::cam</i> [w/ 50bp homology arm]	acaaaaaaaaatggcgacaatgtgcgccattttcacttcacaggtactaGT TGATCGGGCACGTAAGAGG	This study
CP7	Fwd.- Confirmatory PCR for <i>Δlpp::cam</i>	ACCCAGCGTTCGATGCTTCT	This study
CP8	Rev.- Confirmatory PCR for <i>Δlpp::cam_1</i>	AGCAGCCTGAACGTCGGAAC	This study
CP9	Rev.- Confirmatory PCR for <i>Δlpp::cam_2</i>	GCAGAAATGGTGAACCAGAGCAA	This study
CP10	Rev.- Chloramphenicol cassette_2	GTGAATACCACGACGATTTCCG	This study
CP11	Fwd.- Fis [w/ 5'-NdeI restriction site]	AGAACATATGTTTCGAACAACGCGTAAAT	This study
CP12	Rev.- Fis [w/5'-StyI restriction site]	ATAAACCTAGGTTAGTTCATGCCGTATTTTTTC A	This study
CP13	Fwd.- <i>Δfis::cam</i> [w/ 60bp homology arm]	aggcggttgaggcactactcgaaaatttgcgtaaacagaaataaagagctga cagaactGTCCAAGCGAGCTCGATATCAA	This study
CP14	Rev.- <i>Δfis::cam</i> [w/ 60bp homology arm]	aaaaaggcgcttccccatgccgagtagcgcttttaatacaagcatttagctaa cctgaaGTTGATCGGGCACGTAAGAGG	This study
CP15	Fwd.- Confirmatory PCR for <i>Δfis::cam</i>	TCCAAATGACCAGTTTCGGC	This study
CP16	Rev.- Confirmatory PCR for <i>Δfis::cam</i>	TTCACATCCTGTTCTCATGGTCAC	This study
CP17	Fwd.- <i>Δfis::spec</i> [w/ 60bp homology arm]	aggcggttgaggcactactcgaaaatttgcgtaaacagaaataaagagctga cagaactTTATTTGCCGACTACCTTGGTGA	This study
CP18	Rev.- <i>Δfis::spec</i> [w/ 60bp homology arm]	aaaaaggcgcttccccatgccgagtagcgcttttaatacaagcatttagctaa cctgaaATGCGCTCACGCAACTGGT	This study
CP19	Rev.- Spectinomycin cassette	CTTACCGTCGCGTTACTGTAAGAA	This study
CP20	Fwd.- <i>ΔcutC::tet</i> (w/ 60bp homology arm)	TACGAGCAAGCATCATATTGGGCGACATGATG CAACGGTAAAAATCATTTGGCCTGATGGCGTT CTTAAGACCCACTTTTCACAT	This study

CP21	Rev.- <i>ΔcutC::tet</i> (w/ 60bp homology arm)	TCCGTGGTCCATTGAAGAGATCGTTGCCAGCG AGCAGTCGGCGTAATTAAGGAGTAAAAATGCT AAGCACTTGTCTCCTGTTTA	This study
CP22	Fwd.- Confirmatory PCR for <i>ΔcutC::tet</i>	TCAACAGATCACGGTTATCGTTC	This study
CP23	Rev.- Confirmatory PCR for <i>ΔcutC::tet</i>	ATGAGCGATTACCGAATCCGA	This study
CP24	Rev.- Confirmatory PCR for TetA	TGCGATCTTTGTCGAACTATTCA	This study