

Figure S1. Growth curves of *K. marxianus* and *S. cerevisiae*.Cells were grown in 3ml YPD liquid medium overnight. The culture was transferred to a fresh 50 mL YPD medium in a 150-mL flask to start at an OD600 of 0.1. OD600 was measured at indicated time points after the start of the culture. The logarithm of OD600 to the base 2 was calculated. The value was shown as mean±SD (n=4). The blue curve is for *K. marxianus* and the red curve is for *S. cerevisiae*.