



FIGURE S2. Levansucrase activity of *Erwinia amylovora lysRI* mutants grown in LB broth and assayed as described in the Materials and Methods. Means of three biological replicates and standard errors are shown. Asterisk indicates significant difference from the wild type (pairwise *t*-test;  $p < 0.01$ ). The *lsc* gene deletion mutant serves as a negative control (Klee et al., 2022; Table S1). The assay was performed four times with similar results each time; a representative experiment is shown.

#### Literature Cited

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