

DNA microarray analysis of succinic acid shock response in *Mannheimia succiniciproducens*

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High concentration of succinic acid produced in *Mannheimia succiniciproducens* influences the cell physiology and growth of host. In order to enhance succinic acid tolerance strains of *M. succiniciproducens*, the transcriptome response to succinic acid stress was analyzed in chemically mutated tolerance strain using by DNA microarray, the resulting genes were tested. From the DNA microarray analysis, up-regulations on expression level in tolerant mutant cells were shown for carbohydrate transport and metabolism, amino acid transport and metabolism, general function prediction only, and cell wall/membrane biogenesis. Genes selected in these categories were characterized. [This work was supported by the Korea Science and Engineering Foundation (KOSEF) grant funded by the Korea government (MOST) (No. 2005-01294). Further supports by the LG Chem Chair Professorship, IBM SUR program, and by the KOSEF through the Center for Ultramicrochemical Process Systems are appreciated].