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Critical Roles of the Pentose Phosphate Pathway and *GLN3* in Isobutanol-Specific Tolerance in Yeast

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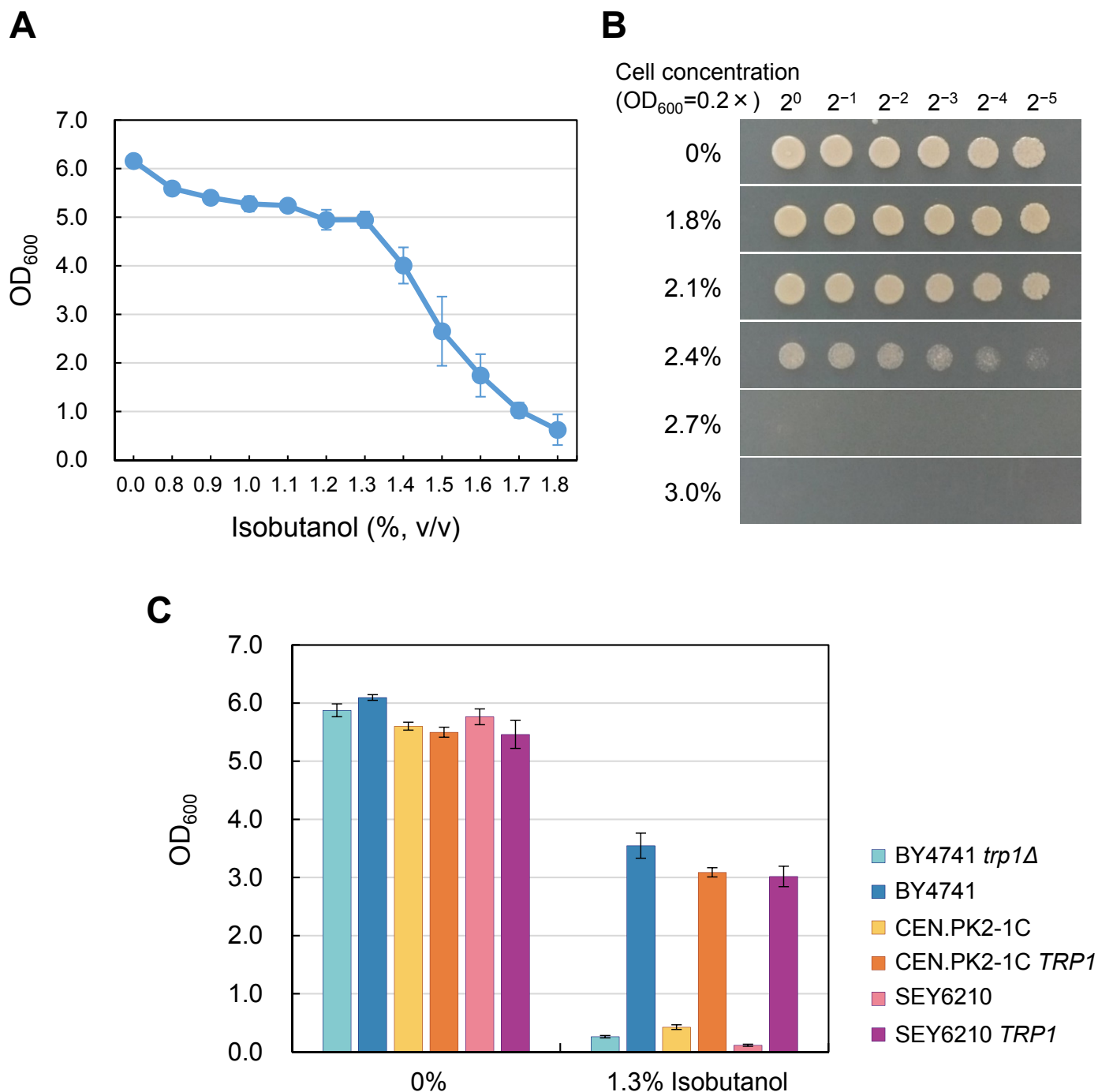


Figure S1. Cell growth of the BY4741 wild-type strain in synthetic complete (SC) liquid medium containing isobutanol and effect of *trp1Δ* allele in wild-type laboratory strains (related to Figure 1). Cell growth of the BY4741 wild-type strain was monitored in SC liquid medium (A) and solid medium (B) after 24 h of cultivation at 30°C. (C) Cell growth of the wild-type strains (BY4741, CEN.PK2-1C, and SEY6210) with or without *TRP1* was measured in liquid SC medium containing 1.3% (v/v) isobutanol. Error bars represent the SEM of three independent experiments.

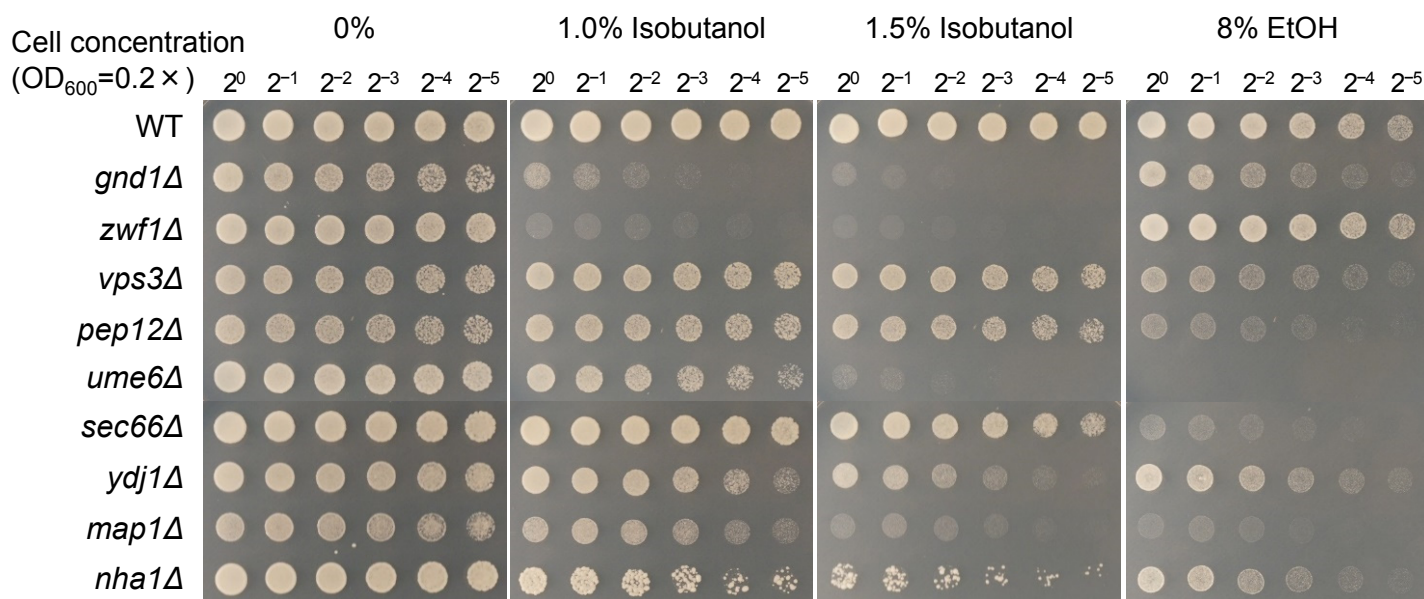
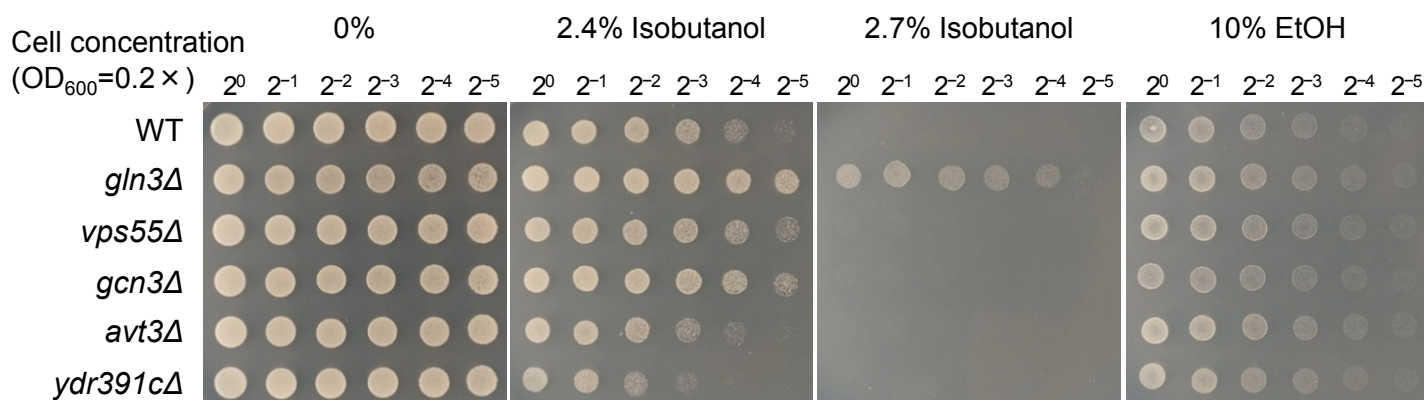
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Figure S2. Cell growth of most hypersensitive and hypertolerant strains to isobutanol in solid medium containing isobutanol or ethanol (related to Figures 2 and 4). Cell suspensions (10 μ L) of isobutanol-hypersensitive strains in Figure 2A (A) and isobutanol-hypertolerant strains (B) were spotted on SC agar plates. Each subsequent spot represents a 2-fold dilution. Plates were incubated at 30°C for 48 h.

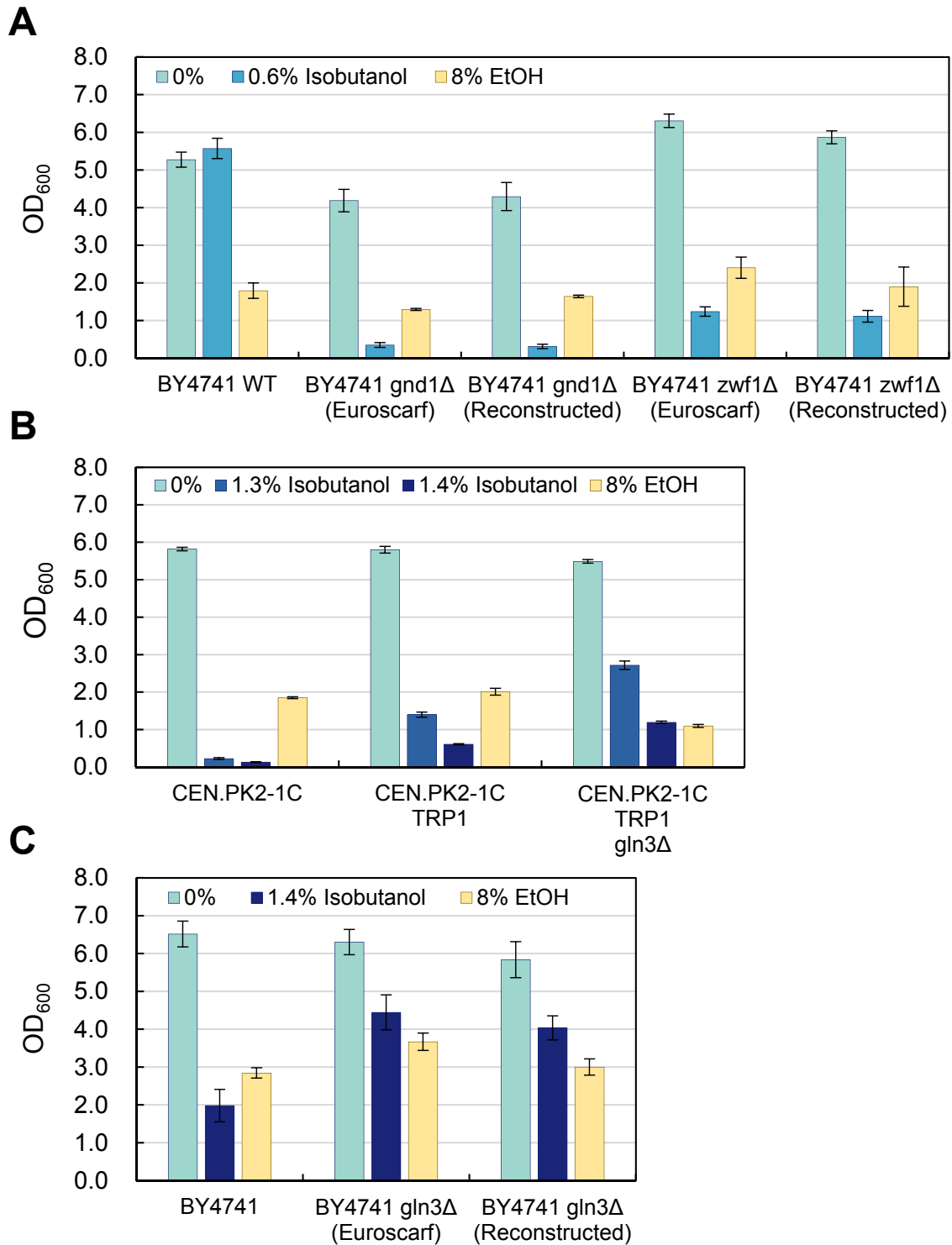


Figure S3. Isobutanol and ethanol sensitivity of reconstructed deletion strains in BY4741 and CEN.PK2-1C background (related to Figures 2 and 4). (A) Cell growth of the reconstructed BY4741 *gnd1*Δ and BY4741 *zwf1*Δ strains was measured in liquid SC medium containing 0.6% (v/v) isobutanol or 8% Ethanol. (B) Cell growth of the *TRP1*-restored CEN.PK2-1C strain and its derivative *gln3*Δ strain was measured in liquid SC medium containing 1.3% isobutanol, 1.4% isobutanol, or 8% Ethanol. (C) Cell growth of the reconstructed BY4741 *gln3*Δ strain was measured in liquid SC medium containing 1.4% isobutanol or 8% Ethanol. Error bars represent the SEM of three independent experiments.

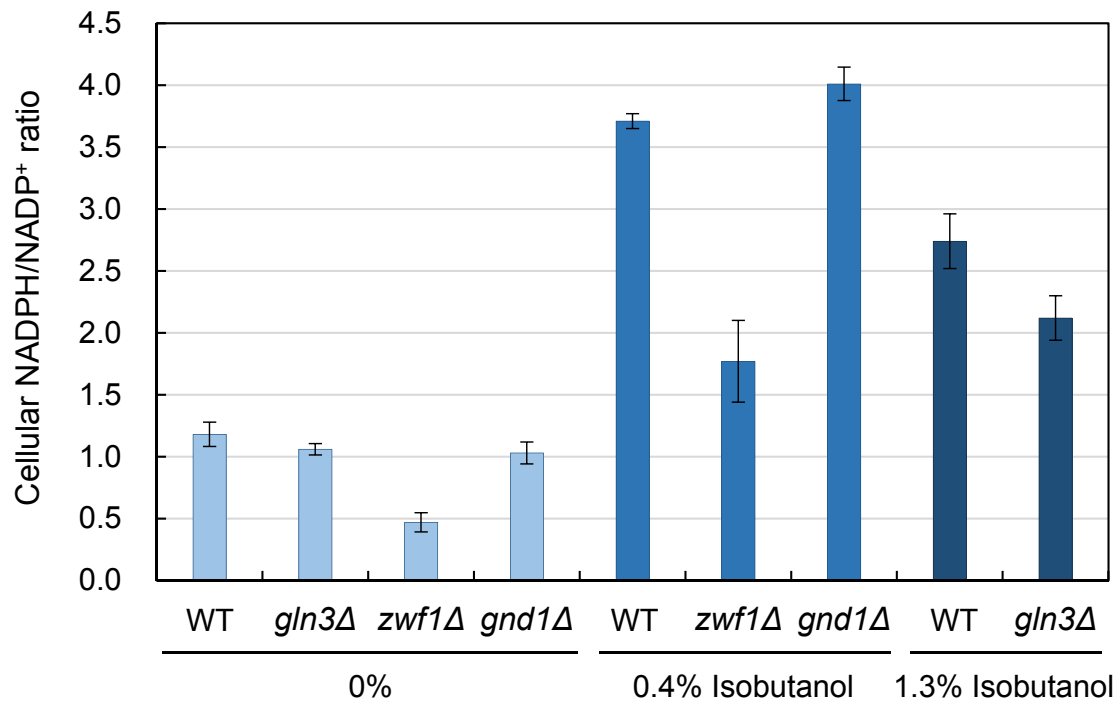


Figure S4. Cellular NADPH/NADP⁺ ratios of yeast deletion strains (related to Figures 2 and 3). Wild type, *gln3*Δ, *zwf1*Δ, and *gnd1*Δ strains were cultivated in liquid SC medium without isobutanol at 30°C for 16 h and SC medium containing 0.4% (v/v) or 1.3% isobutanol at 30°C for 20 h. Error bars represent the SEM of four (for experiments with 0.4% isobutanol), six (for WT and *zwf1*Δ without isobutanol and experiments with 1.3% isobutanol), and eight (for *gln3*Δ and *gnd1*Δ without isobutanol) independent experiments.

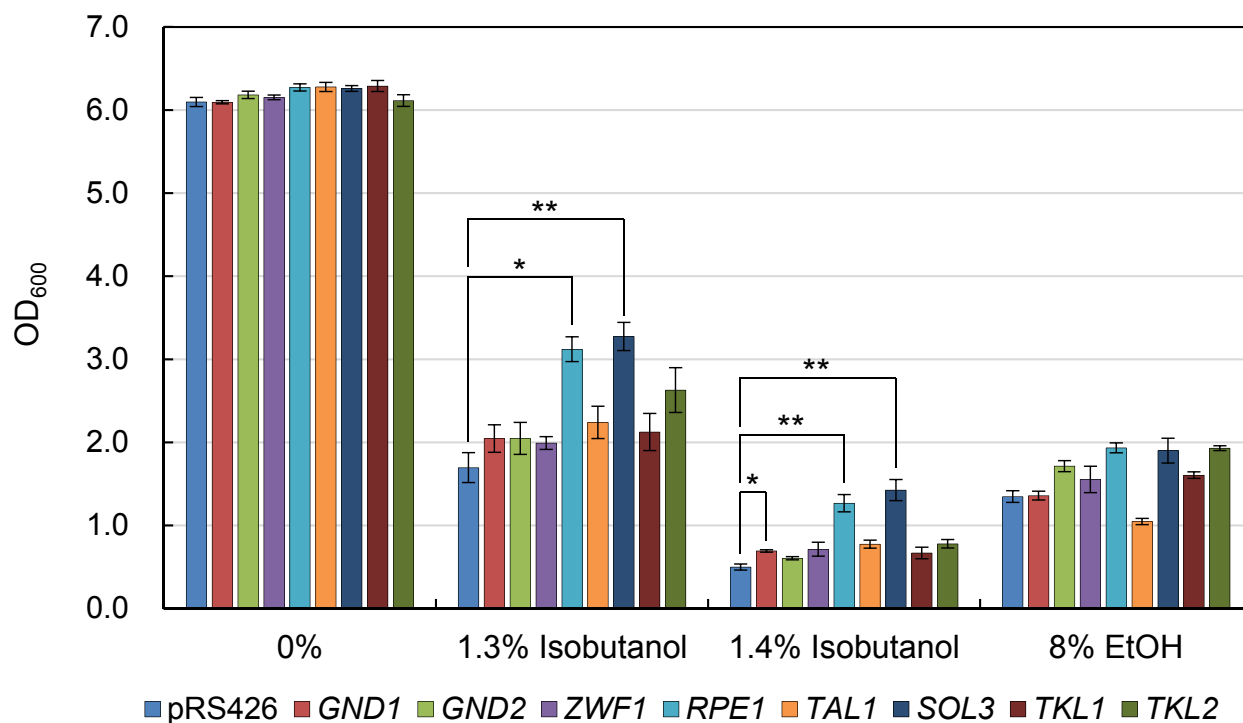


Figure S5. Isobutanol tolerance of BY4741 strains overexpressing 2 μ plasmids with single PPP genes (related to Figures 2 and 3). Single PPP genes were expressed under the control of their native promoters and terminators. The strains overexpressing PPP genes were cultivated in liquid SC-ura medium containing 1.3% (v/v) or 1.4% isobutanol, or 8% Ethanol at 30°C for 24 h. Error bars represent the SEM of six independent experiments. A two-tailed student's *t*-test was used to assess the statistical significance of the difference between cell growths of control and PPP gene-overexpressing strains in the presence of isobutanol; **p* < 0.001, ***p* < 0.0001.

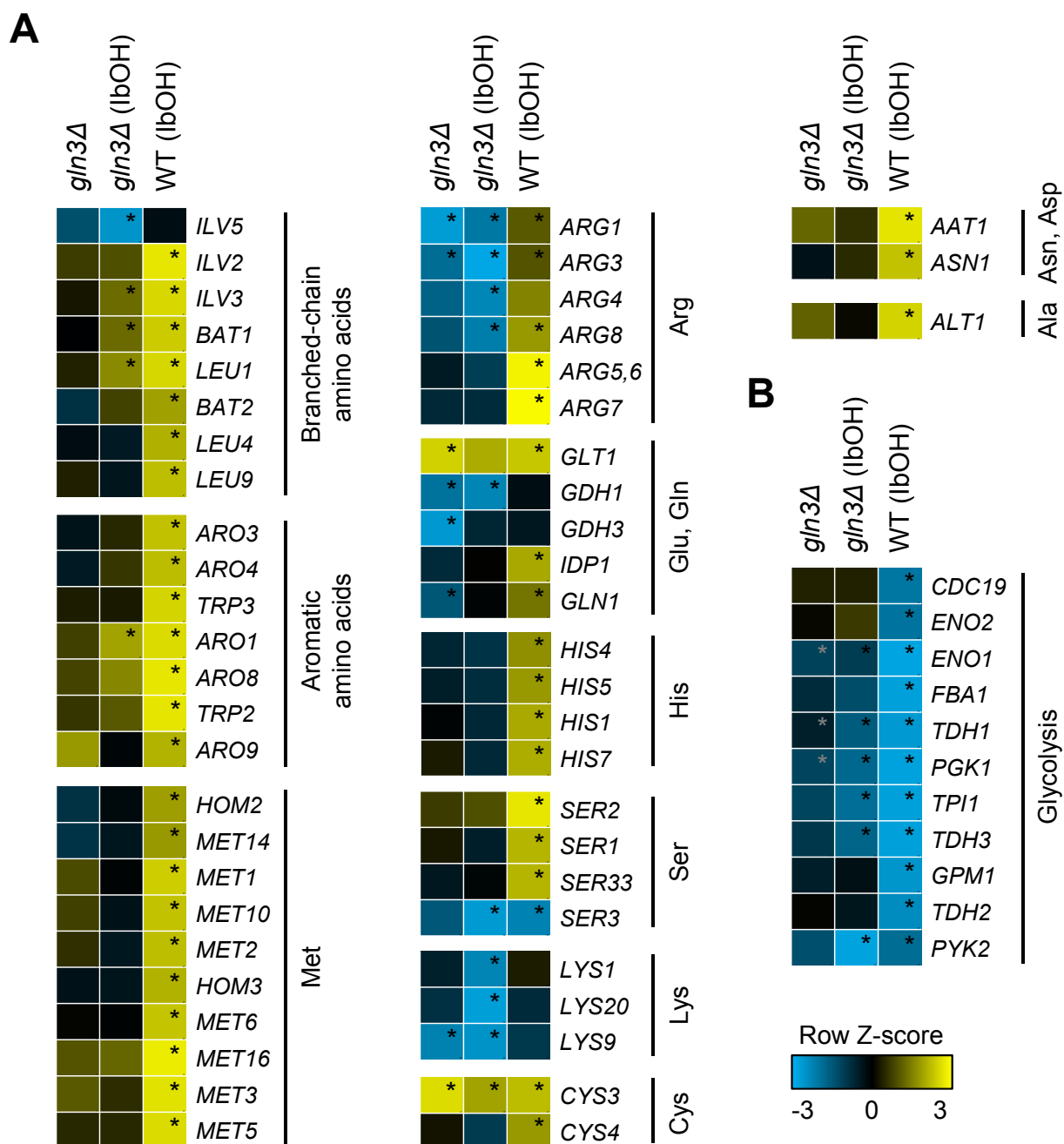
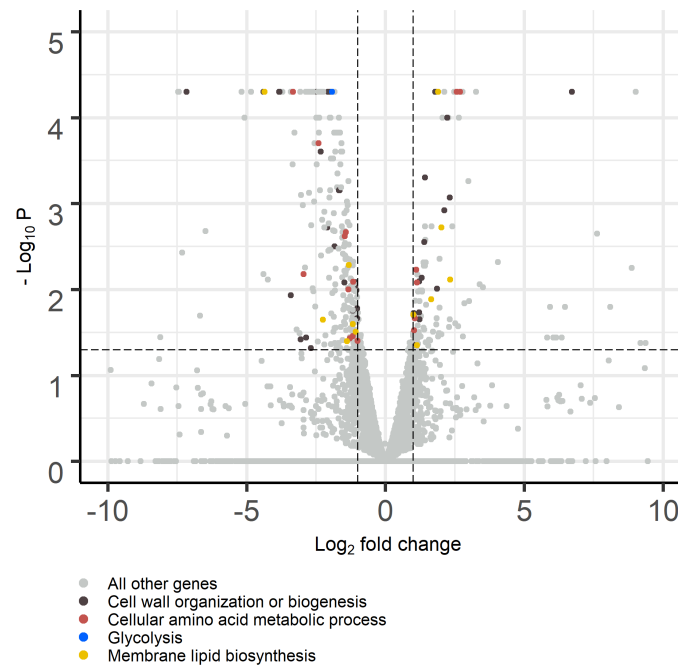


Figure S6. Heat maps showing expression profiles of genes involved in amino acid biosynthesis and glycolysis (related to Figure 4). Expression levels of genes involved in amino acid biosynthesis (A) and glycolysis (B) are shown as row Z-score that is the number of standard deviations away from \log_2 FPKM of the wild type strain grown without isobutanol. Genes in each category were hierarchically clustered with row Z-scores. The statistical significance of the difference from FPKM in the wild type strain grown without isobutanol is shown; * $p < 0.05$.

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Gln3Δ(1.3% Isobutanol) / Gln3Δ (0% Isobutanol)

**B**

Gln3Δ (0% Isobutanol) / WT (0% Isobutanol)

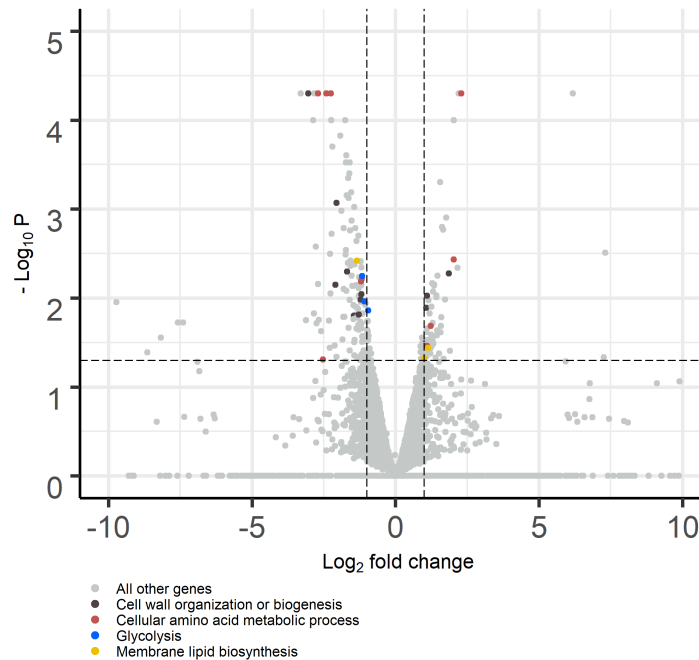


Figure S7. Volcano plots representing differentially expressed genes (related to Figure 5). (A) Comparison of the transcriptomic profiles between the *gln3Δ* strain grown with 1.3% (v/v) isobutanol and the *gln3Δ* strain grown without isobutanol. (B) Comparison of the transcriptomic profiles between the *gln3Δ* strain grown without isobutanol and the wild type strain grown without isobutanol. Each dot represents one gene whose position is determined by the average \log_2 fold change and negative \log_{10} p -value from two independent experiments. The differentially expressed genes are identified on the basis of $|\log_2 \text{ fold change}| > 1$ and $p\text{-value} < 0.05$. Genes labeled as involved in “glycolysis” are one of the following: *CDC19*, *ENO1*, *ENO2*, *FBA1*, *GPM1*, *PGK1*, *PYK2*, *TPI1*, *TDH1*, *TDH2*, *TDH3*. Genes labeled as involved in “membrane lipid biosynthesis” are one of the following: *ACP1*, *ARE1*, *AYR1*, *CHO1*, *DPP1*, *EEB1*, *ELO1*, *ERG3*, *ERG4*, *FAS1*, *GPC1*, *HES1*, *HFD1*, *HMG2*, *ICT1*, *INO1*, *INP54*, *LAC1*, *LSB6*, *MCR1*, *OLE1*, *OPI3*, *ORM2*, *PDR16*, *PLB2*, *SCS2*, *SEC59*, *TAM41*, *TCB3*, *TGL2*, *TSC10*, *YDC1*, *YDR018C*, *YEH1*.

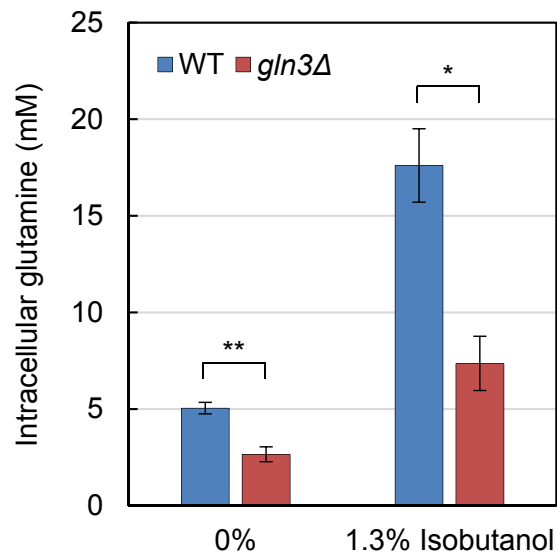
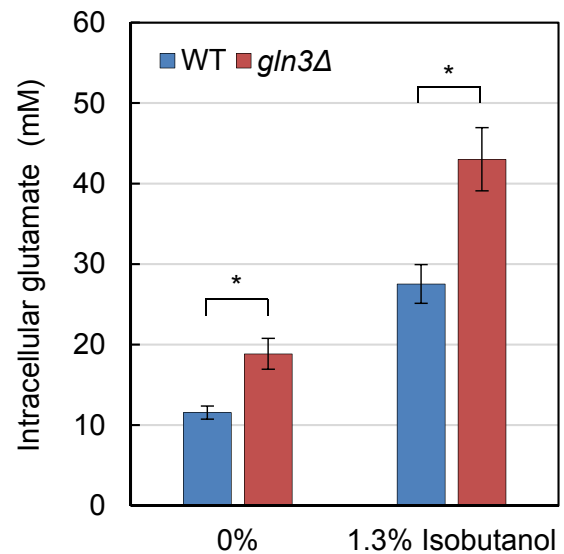
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Figure S8. Intracellular concentrations of glutamine and glutamate in different conditions (related to Figure 4). Wild type and *gln3Δ* strains were grown in SC medium with or without 1.3% (v/v) isobutanol at 30°C for 12 h. The concentrations of glutamine (A) and glutamate (B) in the metabolites extracted from cells were measured by multiple reaction monitoring (MRM) mode using LC-MS/MS. A two-tailed student's *t*-test was used to assess the statistical significance of the difference between the amino acid concentrations in wild type and *gln3Δ* strains; **p* < 0.01, ***p* < 0.001. Error bars represent the SEM of six independent experiments.

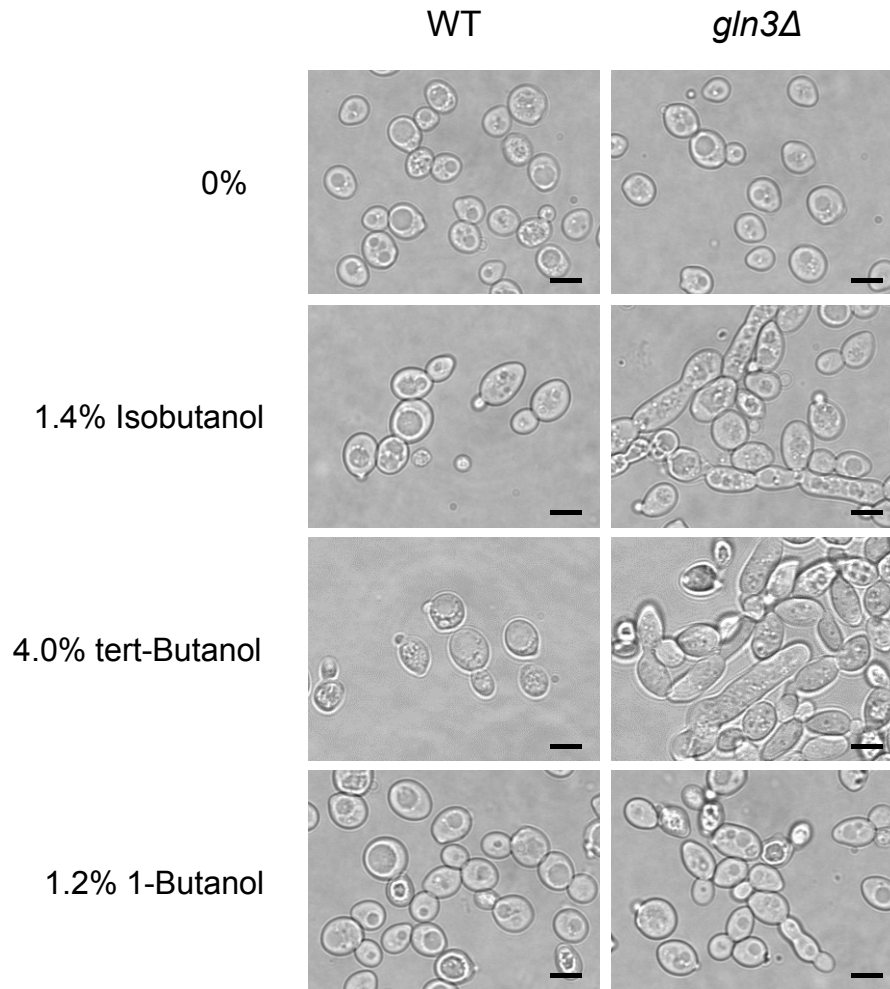


Figure S9. Morphologies of yeast deletion strains grown with alcohols (related to Figures 2 and 4). Wild type and *gln3Δ* strains were cultivated in liquid SC medium containing 1.4% (v/v) isobutanol, 4.0% tert-butanol, or 1.2% 1-butanol at 30°C for 24 h. Scale bars indicate 5 μm.

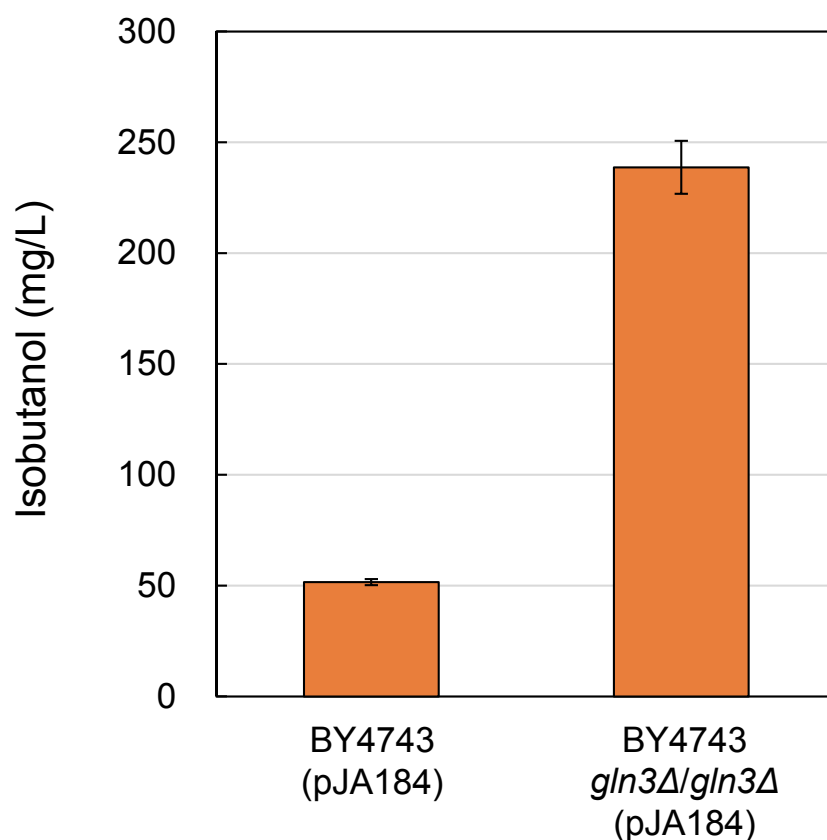


Figure S10. Isobutanol production by isobutanol-tolerant strain with *GLN3* deletion in inhouse-prepared SC-Ura medium (related to Figure 6). Isobutanol production of the homozygous BY4743 *gln3Δ/gln3Δ* strain in inhouse-prepared SC-Ura medium (Table S8) compared to wild type BY4743, harboring a 2 μ plasmid overexpressing the five enzymes responsible for converting pyruvate to isobutanol in their natural locations (pJA184). Error bars represent the SEM of four independent experiments.

Table S1. Tolerance factors of the wild type BY4741 strain in various concentrations of isobutanol and ethanol (related to Figure 1). OD₆₀₀ values for 0% and 1.4% isobutanol are shown as red point in Figure 1A.

Isobutanol (%)	Tolerance factors of the wild type BY4741
0.6	0.92
1.2	0.72
1.4	0.38
1.5	0.19
1.6	0.11
Ethanol (%)	Tolerance factors of the wild type BY4741
8.0	0.31

Table S3. Genes whose deletion leads to sensitivity to isobutanol in the second screen (related to Figure 1B). Gene deletions in hypersensitive strains (TF < 0.5 in 0.6% isobutanol or TF < 0.1 in 1.2% isobutanol) are highlighted in gray.

Systematic name	Common name	Tolerance factor in 0.6% isobutanol	Tolerance factor in 1.2% isobutanol	Tolerance factor in 8% EtOH
YHR183W	<i>GND1</i>	0.040	0.057	0.309
YNL241C	<i>ZWF1</i>	0.090	0.062	0.344
YCR024C	<i>SLM5</i>	0.105	0.044	0.036
YCR028C	<i>FEN2</i>	0.130	0.159	0.252
YOR332W	<i>VMA4</i>	0.174	0.042	0.158
YBR171W	<i>SEC66</i>	0.205	0.104	0.123
YNL064C	<i>YDJ1</i>	0.206	0.102	0.095
YER122C	<i>GLO3</i>	0.228	0.049	0.028
YLR240W	<i>VPS34</i>	0.231	0.034	0.021
YLR304C	<i>ACO1</i>	0.316	0.034	0.015
YOR036W	<i>PEP12</i>	0.326	0.069	0.119
YDR323C	<i>PEP7</i>	0.370	0.040	0.015
YDR495C	<i>VPS3</i>	0.377	0.187	0.090
YLR447C	<i>VMA6</i>	0.403	0.134	0.036
YBR030W	<i>RKM3</i>	0.403	0.771	0.481
YLR244C	<i>MAP1</i>	0.424	0.144	0.068
YLL028W	<i>TPO1</i>	0.425	0.615	0.389
YJL129C	<i>TRK1</i>	0.433	0.143	0.384
YLR138W	<i>NHA1</i>	0.437	0.436	0.297
YDR207C	<i>UME6</i>	0.440	0.056	0.086
YDR316W	<i>OMS1</i>	0.447	0.776	0.431
YCR034W	<i>ELO2</i>	0.454	0.215	0.119
YDR315C	<i>IPK1</i>	0.476	0.166	0.258
YFL023W	<i>BUD27</i>	0.484	0.210	0.172
YDL160C	<i>DHH1</i>	0.487	0.147	0.170
YBR018C	<i>GAL7</i>	0.513	0.376	0.118
YLR182W	<i>SWI6</i>	0.526	0.093	0.093
YEL027W	<i>VMA3</i>	0.532	0.151	0.036
YGL173C	<i>XRN1</i>	0.536	0.347	0.084
YBR173C	<i>UMP1</i>	0.537	0.196	0.149
YHL011C	<i>PRS3</i>	0.539	0.106	0.168
YGL168W	<i>HUR1</i>	0.560	0.276	0.077
YDR417C	-	0.564	0.465	0.217
YOR035C	<i>SHE4</i>	0.573	0.074	0.090
YEL007W	<i>MIT1</i>	0.580	0.509	0.440
YLR396C	<i>VPS33</i>	0.580	0.113	0.058
YNL236W	<i>SIN4</i>	0.586	0.028	0.025
YHR064C	<i>SSZ1</i>	0.586	0.263	0.101
YBR024W	<i>SCO2</i>	0.586	0.841	0.412
YGL167C	<i>PMR1</i>	0.587	0.295	0.079
YBR105C	<i>VID24</i>	0.592	0.595	0.291
YDL006W	<i>PTC1</i>	0.595	0.173	0.319
YDR320C	<i>SWA2</i>	0.596	0.514	0.176
YOR065W	<i>CYT1</i>	0.599	0.658	0.140
YKL204W	<i>EAP1</i>	0.600	0.324	0.153
YGL026C	<i>TRP5</i>	0.601	0.057	0.258
YOR304C-A	<i>BIL1</i>	0.604	0.486	0.165
YBR179C	<i>FZO1</i>	0.604	0.459	0.164
YKL212W	<i>SAC1</i>	0.606	0.211	0.172
YIL076W	<i>SEC28</i>	0.612	0.044	0.055
YER111C	<i>SWI4</i>	0.618	0.119	0.103

YMR142C	<i>RPL13B</i>	0.619	0.132	0.044
YLR372W	<i>ELO3</i>	0.619	0.149	0.091
YDL182W	<i>LYS20</i>	0.621	0.162	0.368
YGL020C	<i>GET1</i>	0.623	0.158	0.319
YOR290C	<i>SNF2</i>	0.628	0.023	0.066
YPL060W	<i>MFM1</i>	0.633	0.589	0.489
YGL072C	-	0.634	0.241	0.211
YGR257C	<i>MTM1</i>	0.644	0.244	0.398
YGR252W	<i>GCN5</i>	0.648	0.461	0.151
YCL007C	-	0.650	0.148	0.091
YBR231C	<i>SWC5</i>	0.652	0.568	0.302
YLR102C	<i>APC9</i>	0.657	0.724	0.735
YDR329C	<i>PEX3</i>	0.661	0.688	0.406
YGR105W	<i>VMA21</i>	0.661	0.160	0.034
YDR008C	-	0.661	0.045	0.183
YNL171C	-	0.661	0.152	0.085
YBL098W	<i>BNA4</i>	0.665	0.771	0.426
YER090W	<i>TRP2</i>	0.669	0.038	0.189
YDR293C	<i>SSD1</i>	0.670	0.119	0.091
YJR025C	<i>BNA1</i>	0.682	0.112	0.059
YGL152C	-	0.684	0.744	0.292
YGR285C	<i>ZUO1</i>	0.698	0.280	0.179
YOR322C	<i>LDB19</i>	0.704	0.215	0.201
YCL023C	-	0.705	0.586	0.543
YOR008C	<i>SLG1</i>	0.708	0.505	0.141
YDR484W	<i>VPS52</i>	0.713	0.156	0.118
YKL037W	<i>AIM26</i>	0.714	0.347	0.143
YBR221C	<i>PDB1</i>	0.720	0.312	0.187
YCR020W-B	<i>HTL1</i>	0.721	0.129	0.057
YJL115W	<i>ASF1</i>	0.721	0.706	0.198
YJL127C	<i>SPT10</i>	0.723	0.802	0.378
YBR068C	<i>BAP2</i>	0.727	0.096	0.228
YLR202C	-	0.730	0.041	0.004
YOL023W	<i>IFM1</i>	0.731	0.191	0.131
YJL120W	-	0.731	0.182	0.370
YKL118W	-	0.732	0.209	0.070
YHR067W	<i>HTD2</i>	0.736	0.159	0.135
YPL002C	<i>SNF8</i>	0.737	0.160	0.075
YPR049C	<i>ATG11</i>	0.741	0.256	0.113
YDL172C	-	0.744	0.129	0.363
YNL184C	-	0.747	0.425	0.154
YBR003W	<i>COQ1</i>	0.748	0.687	0.244
YDR127W	-	0.748	0.022	0.035
YHR026W	<i>VMA16</i>	0.753	0.338	0.049
YFL001W	<i>DEG1</i>	0.754	0.637	0.337
YKL211C	<i>TRP3</i>	0.755	0.071	0.186
YLR047C	<i>FRE8</i>	0.757	0.561	0.406
YPL054W	<i>LEE1</i>	0.758	0.681	0.545
YLR358C	-	0.762	0.148	0.035
YLR315W	<i>NKP2</i>	0.764	0.188	0.270
YJL056C	<i>ZAP1</i>	0.774	0.106	0.232
YLR337C	<i>VRP1</i>	0.775	0.442	0.137
YMR312W	<i>ELP6</i>	0.780	0.335	0.181
YDR101C	<i>ARX1</i>	0.782	0.642	0.278
YML121W	<i>GTR1</i>	0.784	0.471	0.115
YJL102W	<i>MEF2</i>	0.785	0.645	0.224
YER047C	<i>SAP1</i>	0.785	0.801	0.678

YJR102C	VPS25	0.795	0.263	0.097
YPL045W	VPS16	0.796	0.048	0.021
YJL189W	RPL39	0.800	0.336	0.203
YGR135W	PRE9	0.803	0.550	0.282
YKL119C	VPH2	0.809	0.291	0.070
YBR006W	UGA2	0.816	0.826	0.519
YJL183W	MNN11	0.816	0.122	0.084
YBR036C	CSG2	0.819	0.120	0.070
YLR399C	BDF1	0.824	0.291	0.091
YNL025C	SSN8	0.827	0.371	0.069
YNL055C	POR1	0.830	0.154	0.109
YLR233C	EST1	0.831	0.159	0.097
YER178W	PDA1	0.832	0.545	0.428
YDR078C	SHU2	0.850	0.094	0.004
YDL185W	VMA1	0.851	0.234	0.029
YGL143C	MRF1	0.854	0.055	0.013
YJL180C	ATP12	0.854	0.620	0.250
YKL134C	OCT1	0.854	0.335	0.292
YLR025W	SNF7	0.861	0.248	0.110
YDR354W	TRP4	0.863	0.143	0.365
YDR007W	TRP1	0.872	0.110	0.272
YDL173W	PAR32	0.874	0.136	0.315
YBR212W	NGR1	0.877	0.745	0.533
YJL121C	RPE1	0.882	0.080	0.287
YLR200W	YKE2	0.892	0.694	0.207
YDL116W	NUP84	0.895	0.551	0.328
YLR382C	NAM2	0.895	0.483	0.190
YJL036W	SNX4	0.896	0.351	0.187
YDR027C	VPS54	0.897	0.103	0.090
YPR160W	GPH1	0.898	0.382	0.088
YOR211C	MGM1	0.899	0.499	0.201
YDR418W	RPL12B	0.900	0.357	0.192
YDR018C	-	0.904	0.647	0.031
YJL176C	SWI3	0.906	0.107	0.096
YDL118W	-	0.911	0.741	0.366
YPR060C	ARO7	0.913	0.050	0.066
YPL040C	ISM1	0.920	0.098	0.010
YOR198C	YOR198C	0.925	0.761	0.381
YDR193W	-	0.929	0.769	0.425
YOR331C	-	0.931	0.366	0.062
YJR105W	ADO1	0.931	0.071	0.115
YJL095W	BCK1	0.939	0.177	0.336
YGL148W	ARO2	0.942	0.048	0.061
YDR058C	TGL2	0.945	0.274	0.339
YNL315C	ATP11	0.956	0.417	0.259
YPR074C	TKL1	0.966	0.617	0.623
YKR001C	VPS1	0.979	0.297	0.138
YGR163W	GTR2	0.982	0.544	0.159
YOR221C	MCT1	0.992	0.438	0.262
YOL006C	TOP1	0.996	0.117	0.099
YOR070C	GYP1	1.011	0.397	0.299
YOR150W	MRPL23	1.013	0.736	0.291
YDR173C	ARG82	1.019	0.204	0.069
YOL004W	SIN3	1.104	0.423	0.130
YDR162C	NBP2	1.119	0.080	0.166
YDR184C	ATC1	1.247	0.885	0.441

Table S4. Genes whose deletion confers highest tolerance to isobutanol (related to Figure 1C). Gene deletions in hypertolerant strains (TF > 0.4 in 1.5% isobutanol) are highlighted in gray.

Systematic name	Common name	Tolerance factor in 1.5% isobutanol	Tolerance factor in 1.6% isobutanol	Tolerance factor in 9% EtOH
YER040W	<i>GLN3</i>	0.809	0.557	0.267
YJR044C	<i>VPS55</i>	0.689	0.355	0.464
YDR508C	<i>GNP1</i>	0.507	0.374	0.401
YKL146W	<i>AVT3</i>	0.481	0.248	0.037
YKR026C	<i>GCN3</i>	0.470	0.300	0.003
YDR391C	-	0.402	0.317	0.408
YLL039C	<i>UBI4</i>	0.391	0.251	0.128
YGR144W	<i>THI4</i>	0.357	0.224	0.463
YIR005W	<i>IST3</i>	0.353	0.175	0.000
YKR052C	<i>MRS4</i>	0.303	0.167	0.003
YLR278C	-	0.290	0.138	0.002
YLR280C	-	0.286	0.159	0.002
YOR155C	<i>ISN1</i>	0.281	0.128	0.257
YDR514C	-	0.280	0.166	0.315
YKL147C	-	0.271	0.125	0.003
YKL051W	<i>SFK1</i>	0.253	0.132	0.323
YGR124W	<i>ASN2</i>	0.248	0.180	0.406
YDR134C	-	0.242	0.131	0.337
YDL169C	<i>UGX2</i>	0.231	0.118	0.305
YIL024C	-	0.231	0.159	0.148
YLR250W	<i>SSP120</i>	0.224	0.118	0.002
YGR016W	-	0.222	0.142	0.330
YLR236C	-	0.216	0.104	0.001
YLR279W	-	0.213	0.105	0.002
YIL085C	<i>KTR7</i>	0.211	0.095	0.001
YJL201W	<i>ECM25</i>	0.207	0.122	0.297
YPL194W	<i>DDC1</i>	0.201	0.132	0.171
YLR225C	-	0.188	0.230	0.397
YPL197C	-	0.180	0.127	0.163
YLR445W	<i>GMC2</i>	0.170	0.100	0.003
YLR134W	<i>PDC5</i>	0.165	0.113	0.271
YDR421W	<i>ARO80</i>	0.158	0.178	0.375
YIL088C	<i>AVT7</i>	0.154	0.124	0.159
YDL214C	<i>PRR2</i>	0.151	0.079	0.192
YKL072W	<i>STB6</i>	0.150	0.090	0.194
YML054C	<i>CYB2</i>	0.140	0.087	0.219

Table S5. Gene ontology enrichment analysis of the 164 genes whose deletion causes the highest isobutanol sensitivity (related to Figure 1)

GO term	Cluster frequency	Background frequency	P-value
Aromatic amino acid family biosynthetic process	7 (4.3%)	9 (0.1%)	7.78E-08
Single-organism cellular process	98 (59.8%)	2626 (36.7%)	8.06E-07
Aromatic amino acid family metabolic process	9 (5.5%)	24 (0.3%)	1.04E-06
Single-organism process	107 (65.2%)	3031 (42.3%)	1.39E-06
Tryptophan biosynthetic process	5 (3.0%)	5 (0.1%)	4.58E-06
Indole-containing compound biosynthetic process	5 (3.0%)	5 (0.1%)	4.58E-06
Indolalkylamine biosynthetic process	5 (3.0%)	5 (0.1%)	4.58E-06
Indole-containing compound metabolic process	7 (4.3%)	14 (0.2%)	6.73E-06
Tryptophan metabolic process	7 (4.3%)	14 (0.2%)	6.73E-06
Indolalkylamine metabolic process	7 (4.3%)	14 (0.2%)	6.73E-06
Vacuolar transport	19 (11.6%)	171 (2.4%)	7.24E-06
Cellular monovalent inorganic cation homeostasis	9 (5.5%)	39 (0.5%)	0.00013
Cellular chemical homeostasis	16 (9.8%)	148 (2.1%)	0.00017
Cellular cation homeostasis	14 (8.5%)	115 (1.6%)	0.00023
Cellular biogenic amine metabolic process	7 (4.3%)	22 (0.3%)	0.00029
Monovalent inorganic cation homeostasis	9 (5.5%)	43 (0.6%)	0.00031
Cellular homeostasis	17 (10.4%)	177 (2.5%)	0.00039
Cation homeostasis	14 (8.5%)	123 (1.7%)	0.00054
Cellular biogenic amine biosynthetic process	5 (3.0%)	9 (0.1%)	0.00054
Amine biosynthetic process	5 (3.0%)	9 (0.1%)	0.00054
Cellular amine metabolic process	8 (4.9%)	36 (0.5%)	0.00086
Amine metabolic process	8 (4.9%)	36 (0.5%)	0.00086
Cellular ion homeostasis	14 (8.5%)	128 (1.8%)	0.00087
Small molecule metabolic process	36 (22.0%)	684 (9.5%)	0.00098
Chemical homeostasis	16 (9.8%)	170 (2.4%)	0.00112
pH reduction	7 (4.3%)	27 (0.4%)	0.00136
Intracellular pH reduction	7 (4.3%)	27 (0.4%)	0.00136
Vacuolar acidification	7 (4.3%)	27 (0.4%)	0.00136
Biological regulation	63 (38.4%)	1604 (22.4%)	0.00159
Autophagy	15 (9.1%)	155 (2.2%)	0.00172
Inorganic ion homeostasis	13 (7.9%)	118 (1.6%)	0.00198
Ion homeostasis	14 (8.5%)	138 (1.9%)	0.00217
Regulation of cellular pH	7 (4.3%)	29 (0.4%)	0.00229
Regulation of intracellular pH	7 (4.3%)	29 (0.4%)	0.00229
Protein localization to vacuole	13 (7.9%)	120 (1.7%)	0.00239
Carboxylic acid metabolic process	23 (14.0%)	351 (4.9%)	0.00331
Regulation of pH	7 (4.3%)	32 (0.4%)	0.00466
Oxoacid metabolic process	23 (14.0%)	365 (5.1%)	0.00635
Organic acid metabolic process	23 (14.0%)	365 (5.1%)	0.00664
Cellular component organization	68 (41.5%)	1867 (26.1%)	0.00781

Table S8. Compositions of synthetic complete (SC) media other than glucose (related to STAR Methods)

Components	Final concentration in commercial medium (mg/L)	Final concentration in medium made inhouse (mg/L)
Adenine	18	95
<i>p</i> -Aminobenzoic acid	8	9.5
Ammonium sulfate	5000	5000
Alanine	76	95
Arginine	76	95
Asparagine	76	95
Aspartic acid	76	95
Cysteine	76	95
Glutamic acid	76	95
Glutamine	76	95
Glycine	76	95
Histidine	76	95
Inositol	76	36
Isoleucine	76	95
Leucine	380	190
Lysine	76	95
Methionine	76	95
Phenylalanine	76	95
Proline	76	95
Serine	76	95
Threonine	76	95
Tryptophan	76	95
Tyrosine	76	95
Uracil	76	95
Valine	76	95
Yeast nitrogen base without amino acids	1700	1500

Table S9. Yeast strains used in this study (related to STAR Methods)

Strain	Genotype	Source
BY4741	S288C MATa <i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 ura3Δ0</i>	Euroscarf: Y00000
BY4743	S288C MATa/α <i>his3Δ1/his3Δ1 leu2Δ0/leu2Δ0 LYS2/lys2Δ0 met15Δ0/MET15 ura3Δ0/ura3Δ0</i>	Euroscarf: Y20000
CEN.PK2-1C	MATa <i>his3Δ1 leu2-3,112 ura3-52 trp1-289 MAL2-8^c SUC2</i>	Euroscarf: 30000A
SEY6210	MATα <i>leu2-3,112 ura3-52 his3-Δ200 trp1-Δ 901 suc2-Δ9 lys2-801 GAL</i>	ATCC: 96099
BY4741 <i>aco1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>aco1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y05212
BY4741 <i>avt3Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>avt3Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y04996
BY4741 <i>dhh1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>dhh1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y03858
BY4741 <i>elo2Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>elo2Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y05763
BY4741 <i>gcn3Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>gcn3Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y05097
BY4741 <i>gln3Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>gln3Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y00173
BY4741 <i>glo3Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>glo3Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y06121
BY4741 <i>gnd1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>gnd1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y02877
BY4741 <i>ipk1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>ipk1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y07747
BY4741 <i>map1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>map1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y05153
BY4741 <i>nha1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>nha1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y04095
BY4741 <i>pep12Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>pep12Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y01812
BY4741 <i>rpe1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>rpe1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y01305
BY4741 <i>sec28Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>sec28Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y01469
BY4741 <i>sec66Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>sec66Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y03311
BY4741 <i>sol3Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>sol3Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y02857
BY4741 <i>swi6Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>swi6Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y04131
BY4741 <i>tal1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>tal1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y05263
BY4741 <i>tkl1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>tkl1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y05493
BY4741 <i>trp1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>trp1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y07202
BY4741 <i>trp2Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>trp2Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y06395
BY4741 <i>ume6Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>ume6Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y03566
BY4741 <i>vma4Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>vma4Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y01629
BY4741 <i>vma6Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>vma6Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y06051
BY4741 <i>vps34Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>vps34Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y05149
BY4741 <i>vps3Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>vps3Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y04329
BY4741 <i>vps55Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>vps55Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y06842
BY4741 <i>ydj1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>ydj1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y03012
BY4741 <i>ydr391cΔ</i>	BY4741 <i>ydr391cΔ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y04227
BY4741 <i>ynl170wΔ</i>	BY4741 <i>ynl170wΔ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y02041
BY4741 <i>zwf1Δ</i>	BY4741 <i>zwf1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y01971
BY4742 <i>gnd1Δ</i>	BY4742 <i>gnd1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y12877
BY4742 <i>zwf1Δ</i>	BY4742 <i>zwf1Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y11971
BY4743 <i>gln3Δ/gln3Δ</i>	BY4743 <i>gln3Δ::kanMX4/gln3Δ::kanMX4</i>	Euroscarf: Y30173
CEN.PK2-1C <i>TRP1</i>	CEN.PK2-1C <i>TRP1</i>	This study
CEN.PK2-1C <i>TRP1 gln3Δ</i>	CEN.PK2-1C <i>TRP1 gln3Δ::kanMX4</i>	This study
CEN.PK2-1C <i>TRP1 gnd1Δ</i>	CEN.PK2-1C <i>TRP1 gnd1Δ::kanMX4</i>	This study
CEN.PK2-1C <i>TRP1 zwf1Δ</i>	CEN.PK2-1C <i>TRP1 zwf1Δ::kanMX4</i>	This study

SEY6210 <i>TRP1</i>	SEY6210 <i>TRP1</i>	This study
BY4741 (pRS426)	BY4741 pRS426	This study
BY4741 (<i>GND1</i>)	BY4741 pXP684-GND1	This study
BY4741 (<i>GND2</i>)	BY4741 pXP684-GND2	This study
BY4741 (<i>RPE1</i>)	BY4741 pXP684-RPE1	This study
BY4741 (<i>SOL3</i>)	BY4741 pXP684-SOL3	This study
BY4741 (<i>TAL1</i>)	BY4741 pXP684-TAL1	This study
BY4741 (<i>TKL1</i>)	BY4741 pXP684-TKL1	This study
BY4741 (<i>TKL2</i>)	BY4741 pXP684-TKL2	This study
BY4741 (<i>ZWF1</i>)	BY4741 pXP684-ZWF1	This study
BY4741 (pJA184)	BY4741 pJA184 (<i>ILV2</i> , <i>ILV3</i> , <i>ILV5</i> , <i>LIKivD</i> , <i>ADH7</i>)	This study
BY4741 <i>gln3Δ</i> (pRS426)	BY4741 <i>gln3Δ::lox66-natMX6-lox71</i> pRS426	This study
BY4741 <i>gln3Δ</i> (pJA184)	BY4741 <i>gln3Δ::lox66-natMX6-lox71</i> pJA184 (<i>ILV2</i> , <i>ILV3</i> , <i>ILV5</i> , <i>LIKivD</i> , <i>ADH7</i>)	This study
BY4741 <i>ald6Δ</i> (pRS426)	BY4741 <i>ald6Δ::loxP-kanMX4-loxP</i> pRS426	This study
BY4741 <i>ald6Δ</i> (pJA184)	BY4741 <i>ald6Δ::loxP-kanMX4-loxP</i> pJA184 (<i>ILV2</i> , <i>ILV3</i> , <i>ILV5</i> , <i>LIKivD</i> , <i>ADH7</i>)	This study
BY4741 <i>ald6Δ gln3Δ</i> (pRS426)	BY4741 <i>gln3Δ::lox66-natMX6-lox71 ald6Δ::loxP-kanMX4-loxP</i> pRS426	This study
BY4741 <i>ald6Δ gln3Δ</i> (pJA184)	BY4741 <i>gln3Δ::lox66-natMX6-lox71 ald6Δ::loxP-kanMX4-loxP</i> pJA184 (<i>ILV2</i> , <i>ILV3</i> , <i>ILV5</i> , <i>LIKivD</i> , <i>ADH7</i>)	This study
BY4743 (pRS426)	BY4743 pRS426	This study
BY4743 <i>gln3Δ/gln3Δ</i> (pRS426)	BY4743 <i>gln3Δ::kanMX4/gln3Δ::kanMX4</i> pRS426	This study
BY4743 (pJA184)	BY4743 pJA184 (<i>ILV2</i> , <i>ILV3</i> , <i>ILV5</i> , <i>LIKivD</i> , <i>ADH7</i>)	This study
BY4743 <i>gln3Δ/gln3Δ</i> (pJA184)	BY4743 <i>gln3Δ::kanMX4/gln3Δ::kanMX4</i> pJA184 (<i>ILV2</i> , <i>ILV3</i> , <i>ILV5</i> , <i>LIKivD</i> , <i>ADH7</i>)	This study

Table S10. Plasmids used in this study (related to STAR Methods)

Plasmid	Description	Source
pXP684-GND1	Overexpression of <i>GND1</i> by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing the endogenous promoter, ORF, and terminator sequence	Huang et al., 2013
pXP684-GND2	Overexpression of <i>GND2</i> by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing the endogenous promoter, ORF, and terminator sequence	Huang et al., 2013
pXP684-RPE1	Overexpression of <i>RPE1</i> by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing the endogenous promoter, ORF, and terminator sequence	Huang et al., 2013
pXP684-SOL3	Overexpression of <i>SOL3</i> by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing the endogenous promoter, ORF, and terminator sequence	Huang et al., 2013
pXP684-TAL1	Overexpression of <i>TAL1</i> by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing the endogenous promoter, ORF, and terminator sequence	Huang et al., 2013
pXP684-TKL1	Overexpression of <i>TKL1</i> by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing the endogenous promoter, ORF, and terminator sequence	Huang et al., 2013
pXP684-TKL2	Overexpression of <i>TKL2</i> by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing the endogenous promoter, ORF, and terminator sequence	Huang et al., 2013
pXP684-ZWF1	Overexpression of <i>ZWF1</i> by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing the endogenous promoter, ORF, and terminator sequence	Huang et al., 2013
pRS426	Empty plasmid with 2μ and <i>URA3</i>	ATCC: 96099
pJA184	Isobutanol production by 2μ <i>URA3</i> plasmid containing $P_{TDH3}-ILV2-HA-T_{ADH1}$, $P_{PGK1}-ILV3-His-T_{CYC1}$, $P_{TEF1}-ADH7-Myc-T_{ACT1}$, $[P_{TEF1}-ILV5-Myc-T_{ACT1}, P_{TDH3}-LIKivD-HA-T_{ADH1}]$	Avalos et al., 2013
pYZ84	Plasmid containing the <i>lox66-natMX6-lox71</i> deletion cassette	Hammer and Avalos, 2017
pUG6	Plasmid containing the <i>loxP-kanMX4-loxP</i> deletion cassette	Gueldener et al., 2002

* Brackets indicate reverse compliments.

Table S11. Primers used in this study (related to STAR Methods)

Primer	Sequence (5'–3')	Target region or description
TRP1-Pro-F	ACACTGAGTAATGGTAGTTATAAGAAAGAG	P_{TRP1} -TRP1-T _{TRP1}
TRP1-Term-R	TGGTGTTTATGCAAAGAAACCACTGTGTTT	
GLN3-F	TCTTGCAAGACAGAGAAAGATGTTT	5' Flanking sequence of <i>GLN3</i> - <i>KanMX4</i> - 3' flanking sequence of <i>GLN3</i>
GLN3-D	AAACAAATAATACCAATGCTCAGGA	
GND1-A	TAAATCACCTGCTACCTCTCTGTTC	5' Flanking sequence of <i>GND1</i> - <i>KanMX4</i> - 3' flanking sequence of <i>GND1</i>
GND1-D	TTTTCTGACTTCATGATTTTGTGTC	
ZWF1-A	ATTATTAATGTGGGATTTTGGCTC	5' Flanking sequence of <i>ZWF1</i> - <i>KanMX4</i> - 3' flanking sequence of <i>ZWF1</i>
ZWF1-D	TCAATGATAAGTACAAGTCCAATCG	
ALD6-KO-F	TCTTGTTTTATAGAAGAAAAACATCAAGAAACATCTTTAACATACA CAAACACATACTATCAGAATACATACGCTGCAGGTCGACAACC	5' Flanking sequence of <i>ALD6</i> - <i>KanMX4</i> - 3' flanking sequence of <i>ALD6</i>
ALD6-KO-R	GACGTAAGACCAAGTAAGTTTATATGAAAGTATTTTGTGTATATGAC GGAAAGAAATGCAGGTTGGTACACTAGTGGATCTGATATCACC	
GLN3-KO-F	ATAACAGAGTGTGTAAGAAAGAGAGACGAGAGAGACACAGGGCC CCCTTTTCCCCACCAACAAACAATACGCTGCAGGTCGACAACC	5' Flanking sequence of <i>GLN3</i> - <i>NatMX6</i> - 3' flanking sequence of <i>GLN3</i>
GLN3-KO-R	GAAAATCTATCAATGCAACCGTTCAGTAATTATTAACATAATAAGAA TAATGATAATGATAATACGCGGCTAGTGGATFTGATATCACC	
GLN3-F2	TTTGCTCTATTACCCGGCGGACAGG	Forward primer annealing upstream of the introduced DNA fragment for <i>GLN3</i> deletion
GND1-A2	CCCTTCTACATAACTCCATGCATGC	Forward primer annealing upstream of the introduced DNA fragment for <i>GND1</i> deletion
ZWF1-A2	TGCTAAAAGCCCGGTTTCGGCTCGG	Forward primer annealing upstream of the introduced DNA fragment for <i>ZWF1</i> deletion
ALD6-F	GGGATTCAAGACAAGCAACCTTGTTAGTCA	Forward primer annealing upstream of the introduced DNA fragment for <i>ALD6</i> deletion
Jla_oli239	ATTCGTCGTCGGGGAACACC	Reverse primer annealing within <i>NatMX6</i>
JW38	GCACGTCAAGACTGTCAAGG	Reverse primer annealing within <i>KanMX4</i>

Table S12. Analytical methods to quantify amino acids by LC-MS/MS (related to STAR Methods)

Amino acid	Compound abbreviation	MRM transition	Q1 Pre Bias (V)	Q3 Pre Bias (V)	Collision energy (V)	Retention time (min)
L-Glutamic acid	E	148.1>130.1	-29	-2	-1	2.81
L-Glutmaine	Q	147.1>56.2	-3	-2	-32	2.48
L-Glutamic acid- ¹³ C ₅ , ¹⁵ N		154.1>89.0	-29	-17	-2	2.81
L-Glutamine- ¹³ C ₅ , ¹⁵ N ₂		154.1>60.0	-3	-2	-32	2.47