Manganese(II) Oxidizing Bacteria as Whole-Cell Catalyst for β-Keto Ester Oxidation

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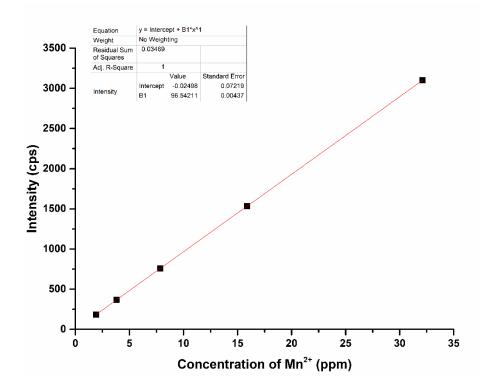


Figure S1. Standard curve of Mn²⁺quantification by Inductive Coupled Plasma Optical Emission Spectrometry (ICP-OES); y=96.54211x - 0.02498, R²=1.00000. (The actual concentration of Mn ions was 7.199 ppm in the 25 ppm dry m-MnB1, therefore, the content of Mn in the dry m-MnB1 was calculated as the following: 7.199/25=28.8%).

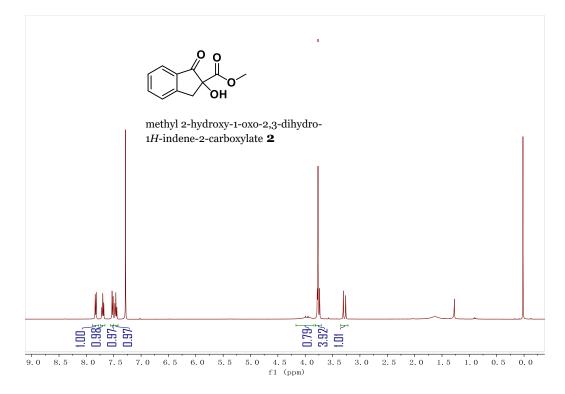


Figure S2. ¹H NMR of @-hydroxy-@-keto ester **2**. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, Chloroform-d) δ 7.83 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 1H), 7.70 (td, *J* = 7.5, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.52 (dt, *J* = 7.8, 1.0 Hz, 1H), 7.50 – 7.42 (m, 1H), 3.95 (s, 1H), 3.77 (m, 4H), 3.28 (d, *J* = 17.2 Hz, 1H).

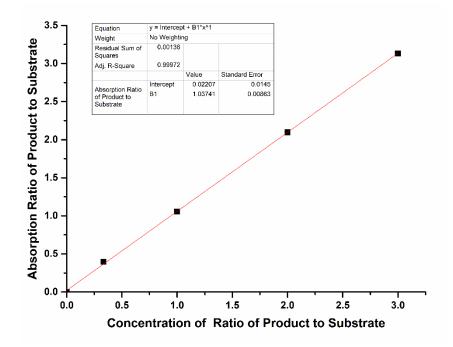


Figure S3. Standard curve of concentration of product to substrate which were measured by HPLC; y=1.03741x +0.02207, R²=0.99972.

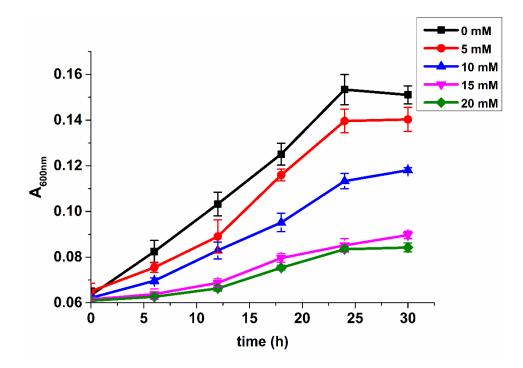


Figure S4. Effects of β -keto ester on the bacteria growth characterized by the OD620nm.