

MALDI-MS analysis of peptide libraries expands the scope of substrates for farnesyltransferase

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Library	Peptide Sequence	Expected Mass	Observed Mass
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>G</u> IIM	1110.4	1110.2
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>S</u> IIM	1140.4	1140.2
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC(fn) <u>S</u> IIM	1344.8	1344.4
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>V</u> IIM	1152.5	1152.3
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>C</u> IIM	1156.5	1156.2
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC(fn) <u>C</u> IIM	1360.8	1360.4
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>I</u> IIM	1166.5	1166.3
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>N</u> IIM	1167.4	1167.3
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC(fn) <u>N</u> IIM	1371.8	1371.4
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>K</u> IIM	1181.5	1181.3
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>M</u> IIM	1184.5	1184.2
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC(fn) <u>M</u> IIM	1388.9	1388.4
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>F</u> IIM	1200.5	1200.3
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Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC <u>Y</u> IIM	1216.5	1216.2
Ca ₁ IIM 1	DsGRAGC(fn) <u>Y</u> IIM	1420.9	1420.4
Ca ₁ IIM 2	DsGRAGC <u>A</u> IIM	1124.4	1124.3
Ca ₁ IIM 2	DsGRAGC(fn) <u>A</u> IIM	1328.8	1328.4
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Ca ₁ IIM 2	DsGRAGC <u>Q</u> IIM	1181.5	1181.2
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CMla ₃ M 2	DsGRAGC(fn)MIQM	1403.9	1403.5
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CMla ₃ M 2	DsGRAGC(fn)MIEM	1404.8	1404.5
CMla ₃ M 2	DsGRAGCMIHM	1208.5	1208.4
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CMla ₃ M 2	DsGRAGCMIWM	1257.6	1257.4
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CMIIIX 1	DsGRAGC(fn)MIIC	1360.8	1360.4

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CMIIIX 1	DsGRAGCMII <u>N</u>	1167.4	1167.2
CMIIIX 1	DsGRAGCMII <u>K</u>	1181.5	1181.3
CMIIIX 1	DsGRAGC(fn)MII <u>K</u>	1385.9	1385.5
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>A</u>	1124.4	1124.2
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGC(fn)MII <u>A</u>	1328.8	1328.4
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>P</u>	1150.4	1150.3
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>T</u>	1154.4	1154.2
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>L</u>	1166.5	1166.3
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>D</u>	1168.4	1168.2
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>Q</u>	1181.5	1181.3
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGC(fn)MII <u>Q</u>	1385.8	1385.4
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>M</u>	1184.5	1184.2
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGC(fn)MII <u>M</u>	1388.9	1388.4
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>R</u>	1209.5	1209.3
CMIIIX 2	DsGRAGCMII <u>W</u>	1239.5	1239.3

Table S1. Mass of CaaaX library peptides. Expected and observed mass for all pentapeptide starting material from MALDI libraries, as well as the prenylated products.

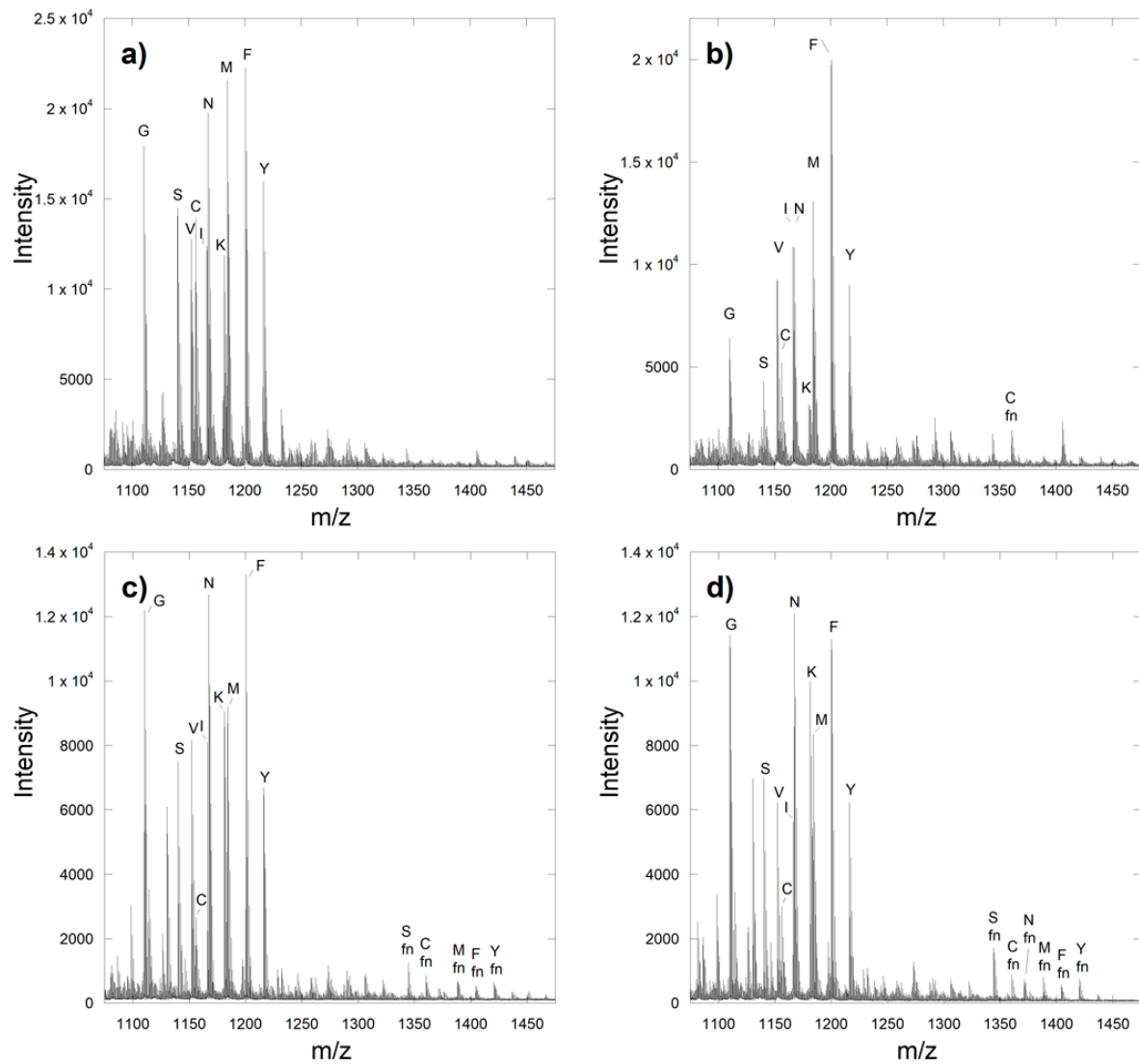


Figure S1. Optimization of enzyme concentration for CaaaX MALDI. DsGRAGCMIX library 1 reacted with (a) no enzyme (b) 100 nM enzyme (c) 1 uM enzyme (d) 10 uM enzyme

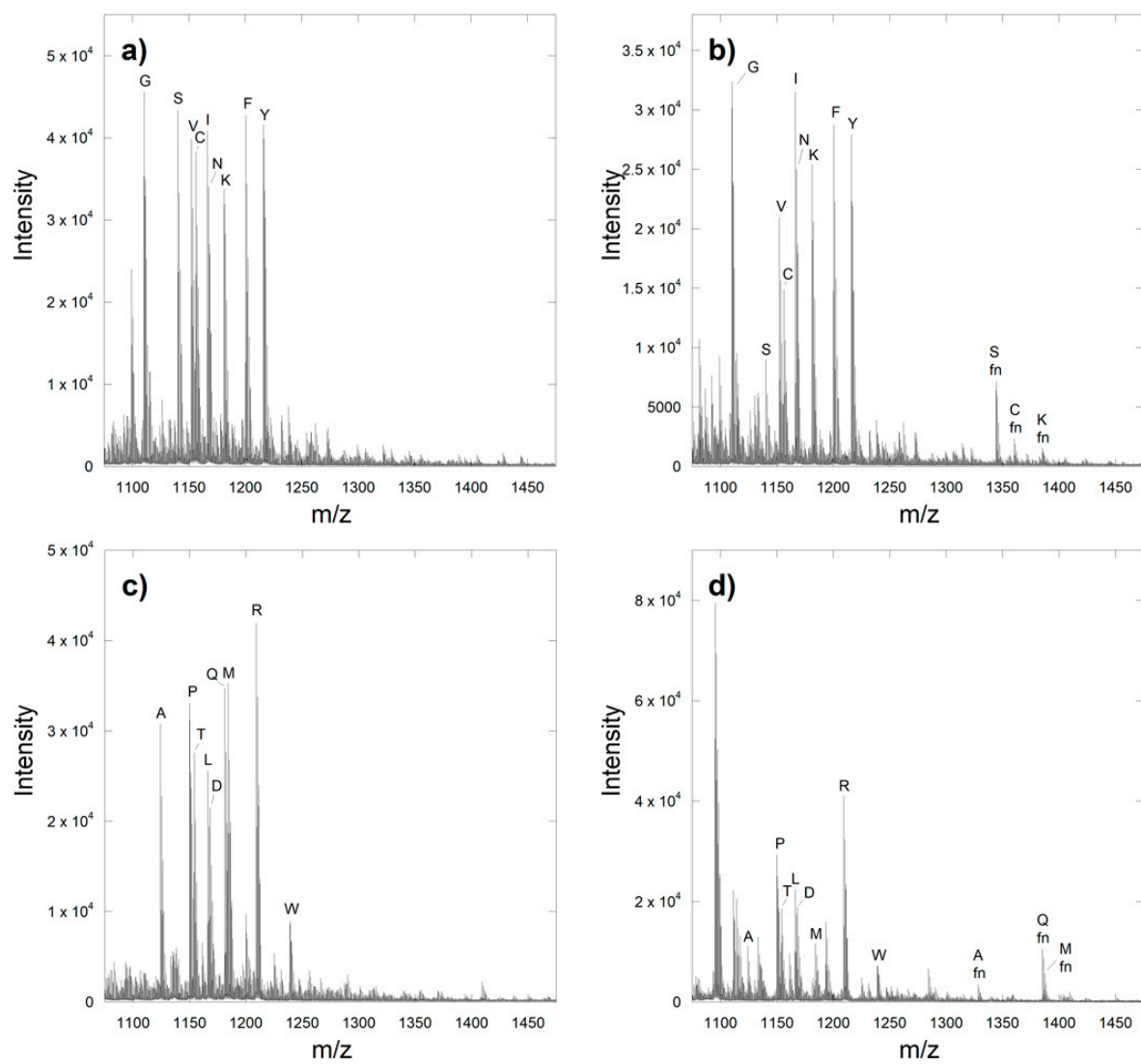


Figure S2. MALDI/MS of DsGRAGCMIIX libraries. Library 1 (a) before and (b) after prenylation with 1 uM yFTase. Library 2 (c) before and (d) after prenylation with 1 uM yFTase.

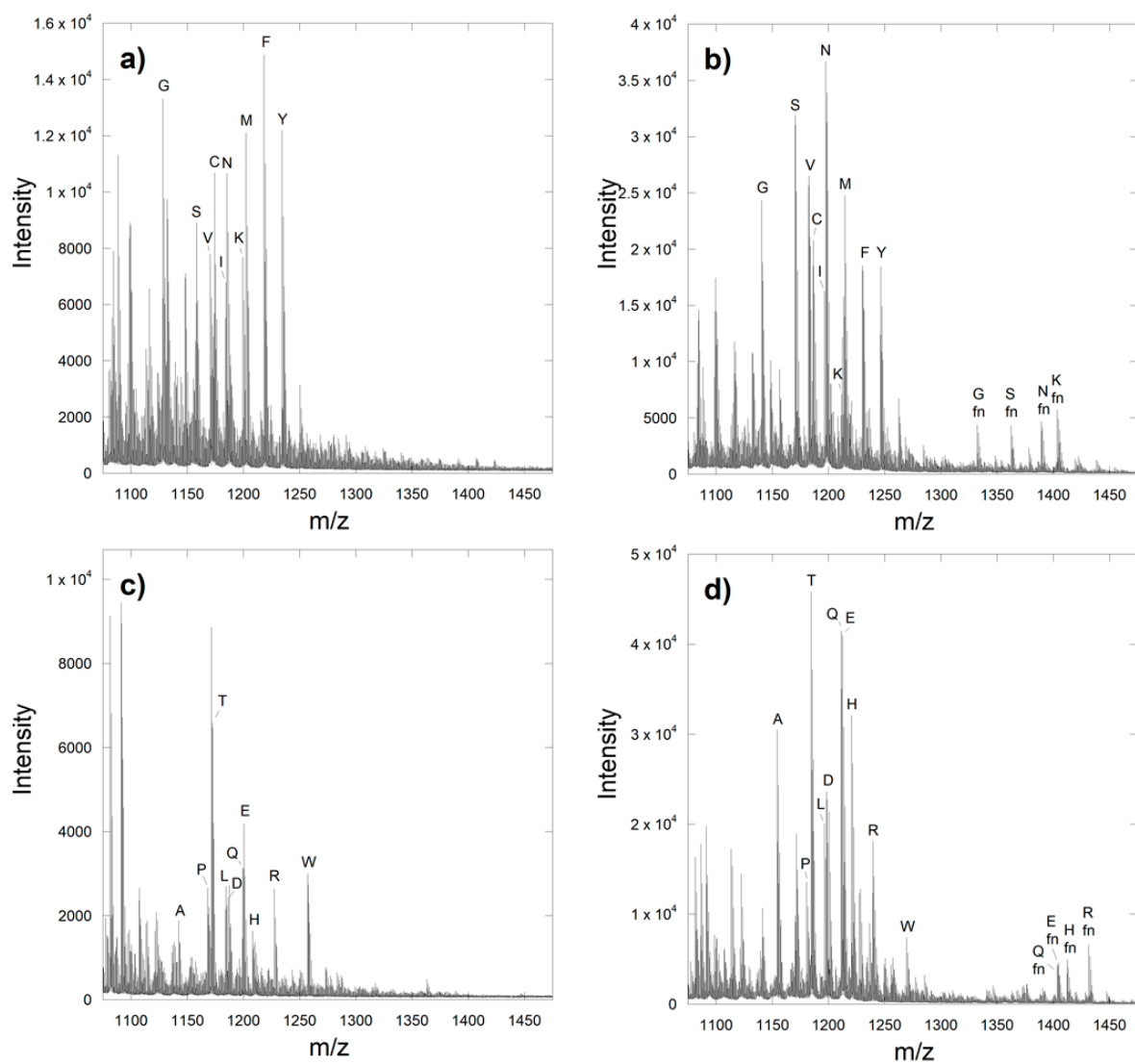


Figure S3. MALDI/MS of DsGRAGCma₂IM libraries. Library 1 (a) before and (b) after prenylation with 1 uM yFTase. Library 2 (c) before and (d) after prenylation with 1 uM yFTase.

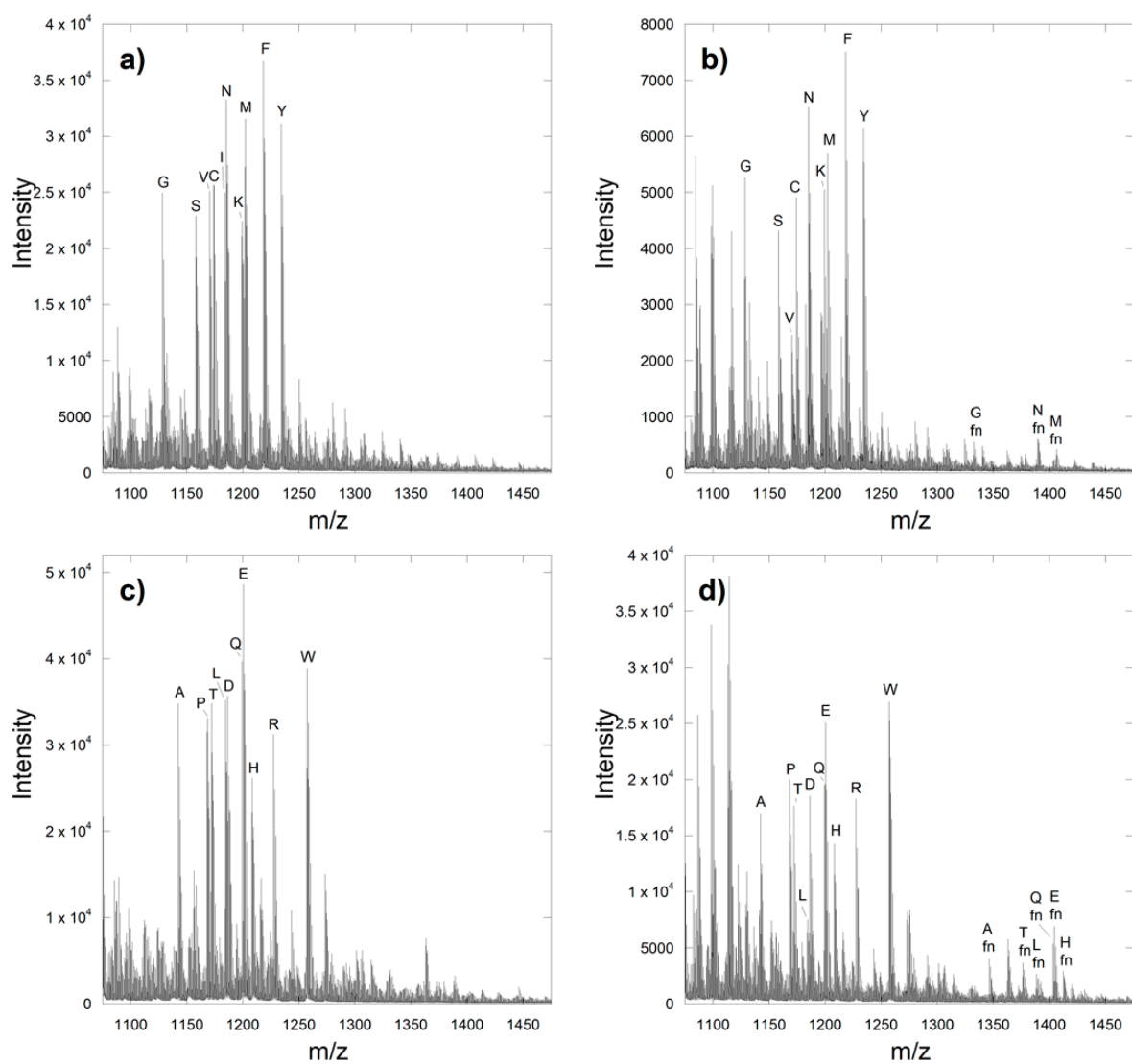


Figure S4. MALDI/MS of DsGRAGCMIa₃M libraries. Library 1 (a) before and (b) after prenylation with 1 μ M yFTase. Library 2 (c) before and (d) after prenylation with 1 μ M yFTase.

Sequence	Formula	+/- Fn	ion	Expected mass	Observed mass
DsGRAGCMIIS	C ₆₃ H ₁₀₃ N ₁₃ O ₁₃ S ₃ 2 ⁺	+	M+2H	672.85	672.85
	C ₂₅ H ₃₅ N ₈ O ₆ S ⁺	+	b4	575.24	575.24
	C ₄₃ H ₆₄ N ₉ O ₇ S ₂ ⁺	+	b5	882.44	882.43
	C ₄₈ H ₇₃ N ₁₀ O ₈ S ₃ ⁺	+	b6	1013.48	1013.48
	C ₅₄ H ₈₄ N ₁₁ O ₉ S ₃ ⁺	+	b7	1126.56	1126.56
	C ₄₈ H ₇₈ N ₁₃ O ₁₃ S ₃ ⁺	-	M+H	1140.50	1140.50
	C ₂₅ H ₃₅ N ₈ O ₆ S ⁺	-	b4	575.24	575.24
	C ₂₈ H ₄₀ N ₉ O ₇ S ₂ ⁺	-	b5	678.25	678.25
	C ₃₃ H ₄₉ N ₁₀ O ₈ S ₃ ⁺	-	b6	809.29	809.29
DsGRAGCMIHQ	C ₆₅ H ₁₀₆ N ₁₄ O ₁₃ S ₃ 2 ⁺	+	M+2H	693.36	693.36
	C ₂₅ H ₃₅ N ₈ O ₆ S ⁺	+	b4	575.24	575.24
	C ₄₃ H ₆₄ N ₉ O ₇ S ₂ ⁺	+	b5	882.44	882.43
	C ₄₈ H ₇₃ N ₁₀ O ₈ S ₃ ⁺	+	b6	1013.48	1013.47
	C ₅₄ H ₈₄ N ₁₁ O ₉ S ₃ ⁺	+	b7	1126.56	1126.56
	C ₆₀ H ₉₅ N ₁₂ O ₁₀ S ₃ ⁺	+	b8	1239.65	1239.64
	C ₅₀ H ₈₁ N ₁₄ O ₁₃ S ₃ ⁺	-	M+H	1181.53	1181.53
	C ₂₅ H ₃₅ N ₈ O ₆ S ⁺	-	b4	575.24	575.24
	C ₂₈ H ₄₀ N ₉ O ₇ S ₂ ⁺	-	b5	678.25	678.25
	C ₃₃ H ₄₉ N ₁₀ O ₈ S ₃ ⁺	-	b6	809.29	809.29
DsGRAGCSIIM	C ₆₃ H ₁₀₃ N ₁₃ O ₁₃ S ₃ 2 ⁺	+	M+2H	672.85	672.85
	C ₂₅ H ₃₅ N ₈ O ₆ S ⁺	+	b4	575.24	575.24
	C ₄₃ H ₆₄ N ₉ O ₇ S ₂ ⁺	+	b5	882.44	882.43
	C ₄₆ H ₆₉ N ₁₀ O ₉ S ₂ ⁺	+	b6	969.47	969.46
	C ₅₂ H ₈₀ N ₁₁ O ₁₀ S ₂ ⁺	+	b7	1082.55	1082.54
	C ₄₈ H ₇₈ N ₁₄ O ₁₄ S ₃ ⁺	-	M+H	1140.50	1140.50
	C ₂₅ H ₃₅ N ₈ O ₆ S ⁺	-	b4	575.24	575.24
	C ₂₈ H ₄₀ N ₉ O ₇ S ₂ ⁺	-	b5	678.25	678.25
	C ₃₁ H ₄₅ N ₁₀ O ₉ S ₂ ⁺	-	b6	765.28	765.28
DsGRAGCMKIM	C ₆₅ H ₁₀₈ N ₁₄ O ₁₂ S ₄ ⁺	+	M+2H	702.36	702.36
	C ₂₅ H ₃₅ N ₈ O ₆ S ⁺	+	b4	575.24	575.24

	$C_{43}H_{64}N_9O_7S_2^+$	+	b5	882.44	882.43
	$C_{48}H_{73}N_{10}O_8S_3^+$	+	b6	1013.48	1013.48
	$C_{50}H_{83}N_{14}O_{12}S_4^+$	-	M+H	1199.53	1199.53
	$C_{25}H_{35}N_8O_6S^+$	-	b4	575.24	575.24
	$C_{28}H_{40}N_9O_7S_2^+$	-	b5	678.25	678.25
	$C_{33}H_{49}N_{10}O_8S_3^+$	-	b6	809.29	809.29
	$C_{39}H_{61}N_{12}O_9S_3^+$	-	b7	937.38	937.39
	$C_{45}H_{72}N_{13}O_{10}S_3^+$	-	b8	1050.47	1050.47
DsGRAGCYIIM	$C_{69}H_{107}N_{13}O_{13}S_3^{2+}$	+	M+2H	710.86	710.86
	$C_{23}H_{32}N_7O_5S^+$	+	b3	518.22	518.22
	$C_{25}H_{35}N_8O_6S^+$	+	b4	575.24	575.24
	$C_{43}H_{64}N_9O_7S_2^+$	+	b5	882.44	882.44
	$C_{52}H_{73}N_{10}O_9S_2^+$	+	b6	1045.50	1045.50
	$C_{58}H_{84}N_{11}O_{10}S_2^+$	+	b7	1158.58	1158.58
	$C_{23}H_{33}N_7O_5S^+$	-	b3	518.22	518.23
	$C_{25}H_{35}N_8O_6S^+$	-	b4	575.24	575.24
	$C_{28}H_{40}N_9O_7S_2^+$	-	b5	678.25	678.25
	$C_{37}H_{49}N_{10}O_9S_2^+$	-	b6	841.31	841.31
DsGRAGCHIIM	$C_{66}H_{105}N_{15}O_{12}S_3^{2+}$	+	M+2H	697.86	697.86
	$C_{25}H_{35}N_8O_6S^+$	+	b4	575.24	575.24
	$C_{43}H_{64}N_9O_7S_2^+$	+	b5	882.44	882.43
	$C_{49}H_{71}N_{12}O_8S_2^+$	+	b6	1019.50	1019.49
	$C_{51}H_{80}N_{15}O_{12}S_3^+$	-	M+H	1190.53	1190.53
	$C_{25}H_{35}N_8O_6S^+$	-	b4	575.24	575.24
	$C_{28}H_{40}N_9O_7S_2^+$	-	b5	678.25	678.25
	$C_{34}H_{47}N_{12}O_8S_2^+$	-	b6	815.31	815.32
DsGRAGCMIGM	$C_{61}H_{99}N_{13}O_{12}S_4^{2+}$	+	M+2H	666.82	666.82
	$C_{25}H_{35}N_8O_6S^+$	+	b4	575.24	575.23
	$C_{43}H_{64}N_9O_7S_2^+$	+	b5	882.44	882.43
	$C_{48}H_{78}N_{10}O_8S_3^+$	+	b6	1013.48	1013.48
	$C_{54}H_{84}N_{11}O_9S_3^+$	+	b7	1026.56	1026.58
	$C_{56}H_{87}N_{12}O_{10}S_3^+$	+	b8	1183.58	1183.58
	$C_{46}H_{74}N_{13}O_{12}S_4^+$	-	M+H	1128.45	1128.45

	$C_{25}H_{35}N_8O_6S^+$	-	b4	575.24	575.23
	$C_{28}H_{40}N_9O_7S_2^+$	-	b5	678.25	678.25
	$C_{33}H_{49}N_{10}O_8S_3^+$	-	b6	809.29	809.28

Table S2. MS/MS of prenylated CaaaX library hits. MS/MS ions of prenylated peptides, indicating the Cys is prenylated. b ions for the prenylated peptide are shown, as well as b ions that have also lost the prenyl group.

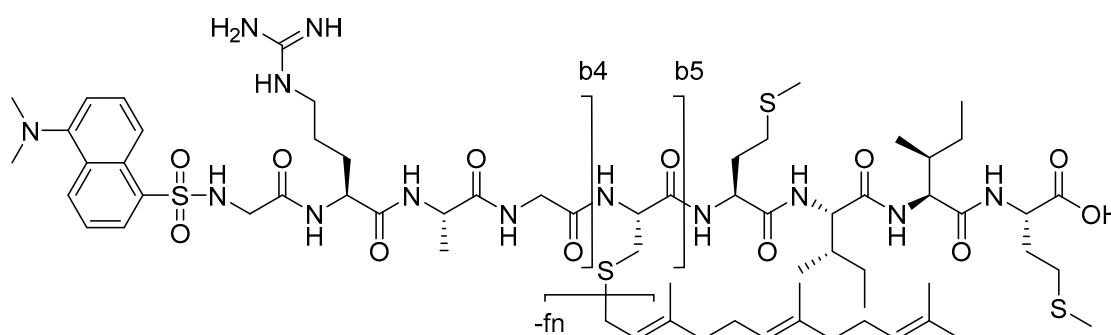


Figure S5. Structure of representative DsGRAGC(fn)MIIM peptide. The major ions used to confirm S-farnesylation are labeled

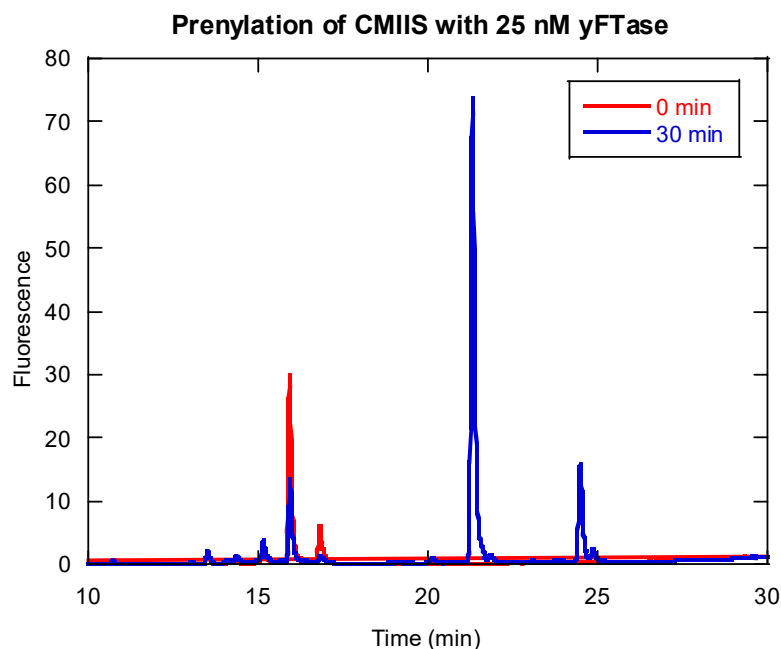


Figure S6. HPLC Fluorescence assay of CMIIS. HPLC assay quantifying the farnesylation of the peptide DsGRAGCMIIS by the fluorescence of the Dansyl group (ex. 220/em. 495). Reaction of 2.4 μ M peptide with 25 nM yFTase

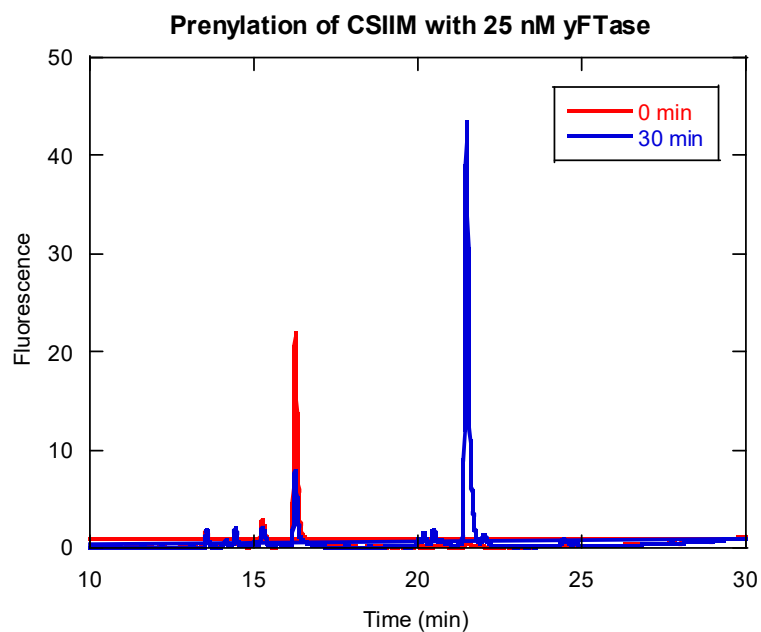


Figure S7. HPLC Fluorescence assay of CSIIM. HPLC assay quantifying the farnesylation of the peptide DsGRAGCSIIM by the fluorescence of the Dansyl group (ex. 220/em. 495). Reaction of 2.4 μ M peptide with 25 nM yFTase.

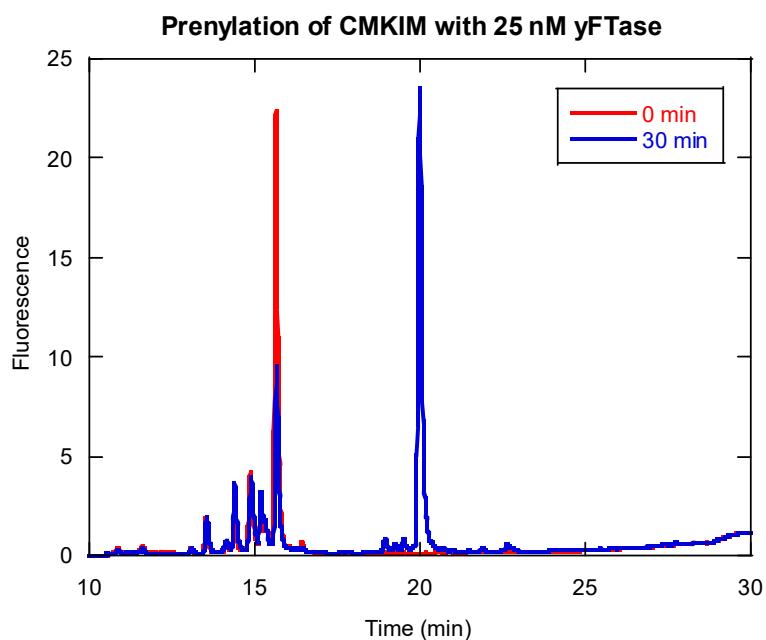


Figure S8. HPLC Fluorescence assay of CMKIM. HPLC assay quantifying the conversion of the peptide DsGRAGCMKIM by the fluorescence of the Dansyl group (ex. 220/em. 495). Reaction of 2.4 μ M peptide with 25 nM yFTase.

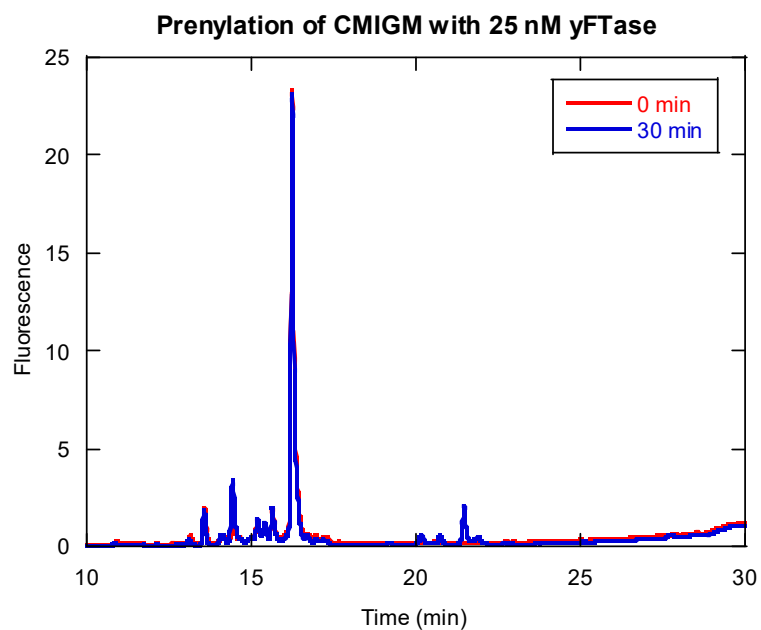


Figure S9. HPLC Fluorescence assay of CMIGM. HPLC assay quantifying the conversion the peptide DsGRAGCMIGM by the fluorescence of the Dansyl group (ex. 220/em. 495). Reaction of 2.4 μ M peptide with 25 nM yFTase.

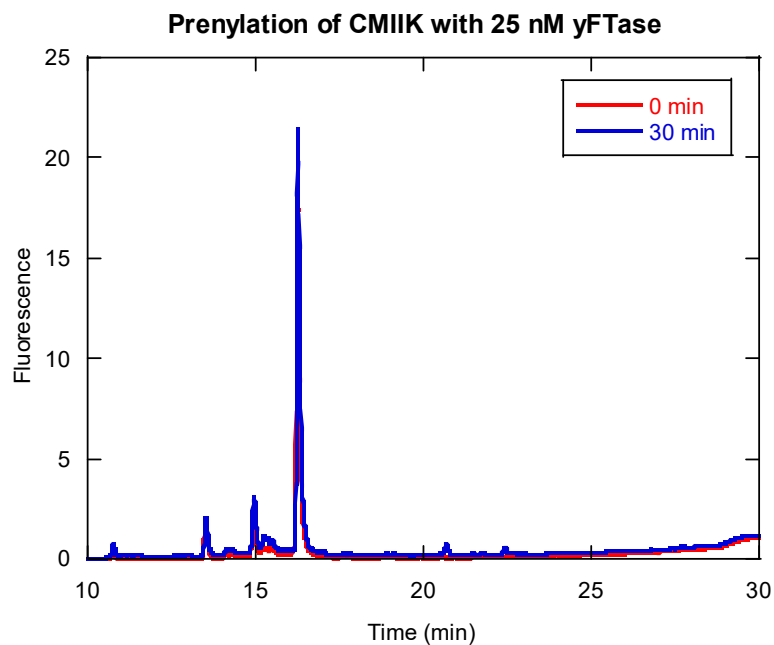


Figure S10. HPLC Fluorescence assay of CMIK. HPLC assay quantifying the conversion the peptide DsGRAGCMIK by the fluorescence of Dansyl group (ex. 220/em. 495). Reaction of 2.4 μ M peptide with 25 nM yFTase.

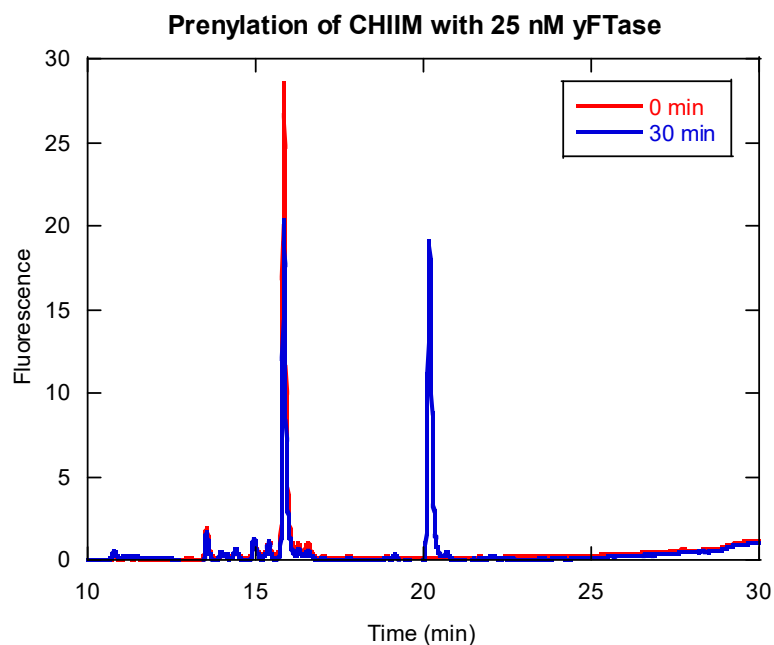


Figure S11. HPLC Fluorescence assay of CHIIM. HPLC assay quantifying the conversion the peptide DsGRAGCHIIM by the fluorescence of Dansylglycine (ex. 220/em. 495). Reaction of 2.4 μ M peptide with 25 nM yFTase

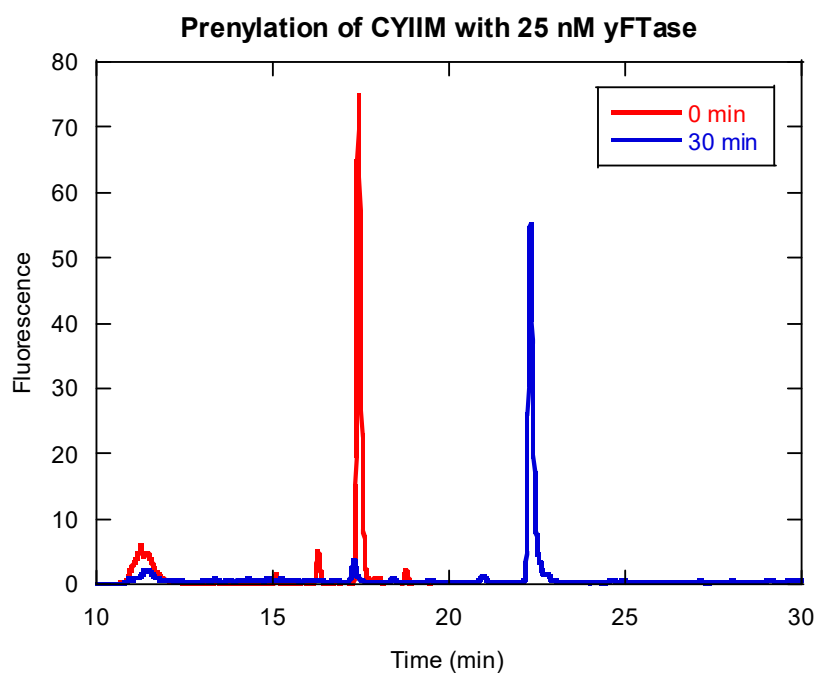


Figure S12. HPLC Fluorescence assay of CYIIM. HPLC assay quantifying the conversion the peptide DsGRAGCYIIM by the fluorescence of Dansyl group (ex. 220/em. 495). Reaction of 2.4 μ M peptide with 25 nM yFTase.

Sequence	Protein name	Uniprot ID
CSQAS	Xaa-Pro aminopeptidase 3	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q9NQH7
CSLMQ	Transcription elongation factor A protein 3	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/O75764-2
CSTAN	Neuronal acetylcholine receptor subunit alpha-7	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/P36544-3
CASSQ	T cell receptor beta variable 14	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/A0A5B0
CMTSQ	Beta-1,4 N-acetylgalactosaminyltransferase 1	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q00973
CLTIQ	Acetyl-coenzyme A synthetase, cytoplasmic	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q9NR19
CVQTS	Thymosin beta-15A	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/P0CG34
CNVT5	Orphan sodium- and chloride-dependent neurotransmitter transporter NTT5	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q9GZN6
CASLS	Proline-rich protein 5-like	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q6MZQ0
CLISS	Regulator of G-protein signaling 7-binding protein	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q6MZT1
CQLNS	Dynein heavy chain 7	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q8WXX0
CTASS	Serine/threonine-protein kinase Nek7	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q8TDX7
CSKLN	NUAK family SNF1-like kinase 1	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/O60285
CSKLN	Olfactory receptor 4A8	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/P0C604
CSKVN	Thioredoxin domain-containing protein 16	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q9P2K2
CSLQQ	Uncharacterized protein C1orf109	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q9NX04-2
CSLLL	Arylsulfatase B	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/P15848-2
CSLFA	NF-kappa-B-activating kinase-associated protein 1	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q9H6S1-4
CSIFI	Nuclear receptor coactivator 7	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q8NI08-6
CSSAV	Upstream transcription factor 3	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q68DE3
CSNTF	Protein virilizer homolog	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q69YN4-4
CAFLS	Histone-lysine N-methyltransferase MECOM	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q03112-9
CFLSS	N-alpha-acetyltransferase 16, NatA auxiliary subunit	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q6N069-4
CLLFS	Nuclear mitotic apparatus protein 1	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q14980-3
CVSVS	Phosphatidylinositol 4-phosphate 5-kinase type-1 gamma	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/O60331-2
CQYNS	Pituitary homeobox 1	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/P78337
CLFLS	Regulation of nuclear pre-mRNA domain-containing protein 2	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q5VT52-4
CLACS	Slit homolog 3 protein	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/O75094
CASWQ	lamin subunit gamma 3	https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q9Y6N6

Table S3. CaaaX sequences in the human genome. Selected CaaaX sequences in the human genome and their associated proteins. Peptides selected for evaluation are shaded in grey.

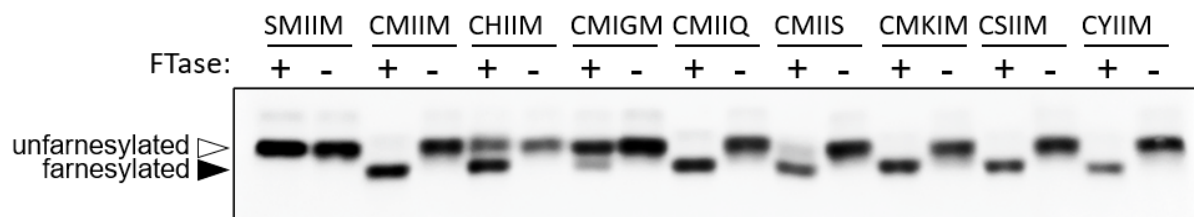


Figure S13. Mobility shift analysis of Ydj1p-CaaaX variants in the presence and absence of farnesyltransferase. Whole cell lysates were prepared and analyzed as described for Figure 5 except that each Ydj1p-CaaaX variant was expressed in two strains. One expresses FTase (yWS2544; *ydj1::KAN^R*) and the other lacks FTase (yWS2452; *ydj1::KAN^R ram1Δ*). The presence (+) or absence of FTase (-) correlates with the presence and absence, respectively, of the non-essential yeast gene RAM1 that encodes the beta subunit of farnesyltransferase.

<u>Sample</u>	<u>Sequence</u>	<u>Biological Replicates</u>	<u>Technical Replicates</u>	<u>Average of Tech. Replicates¹</u>	<u>Standard Deviation²</u>
Controls	CASQ	4	5	100.0%	0.0%
	SASQ	4	5	0.0%	0.0%
	CMIIM	4	7	100.0%	0.0%
	SMIIM	4	9	0.0%	0.0%
Sequences from MALDI libraries	CHIIM	3	4	76.9%	25.9%
	CMIGM	3	5	39.5%	24.8%
	CMIIQ	2	4	100.0%	0.0%
	CMIIS	3	5	88.8%	10.9%
	CMKIM	3	5	99.4%	1.3%
	CSIIM	3	5	100.0%	0.0%
	CYIIM	3	5	100.0%	0.0%
Sequences from the mammalian genome	CASLS	1	3	2.1%	3.6%
	CASSQ	1	3	0.0%	0.0%
	CLACS	1	3	0.6%	1.0%
	CLLFS	1	3	16.4%	2.4%
	CMTSQ	1	3	0.7%	1.2%
	CQYNS	1	3	0.0%	0.0%
	CSKLN	1	3	13.0%	5.5%
	CSLMQ	1	4	96.7%	4.7%
	CSQAS	1	3	0.0%	0.0%
	CVQTS	1	3	1.1%	2.0%

Table S4. Percent farnesylation for Ydj1p-CaaaX variants evaluated in this study.

¹Values for band intensities of farnesylated and unfarnesylated species within gel lanes of Figures S12 and S13 were determined by the peak integration method using ImageJ [4]. reference; see below for options). These values were used to calculate percent farnesylation for individual samples that were averaged for multiple biological and/or technical replicates.

²Standard deviations were derived for all replicates using the Excel STDEV function.

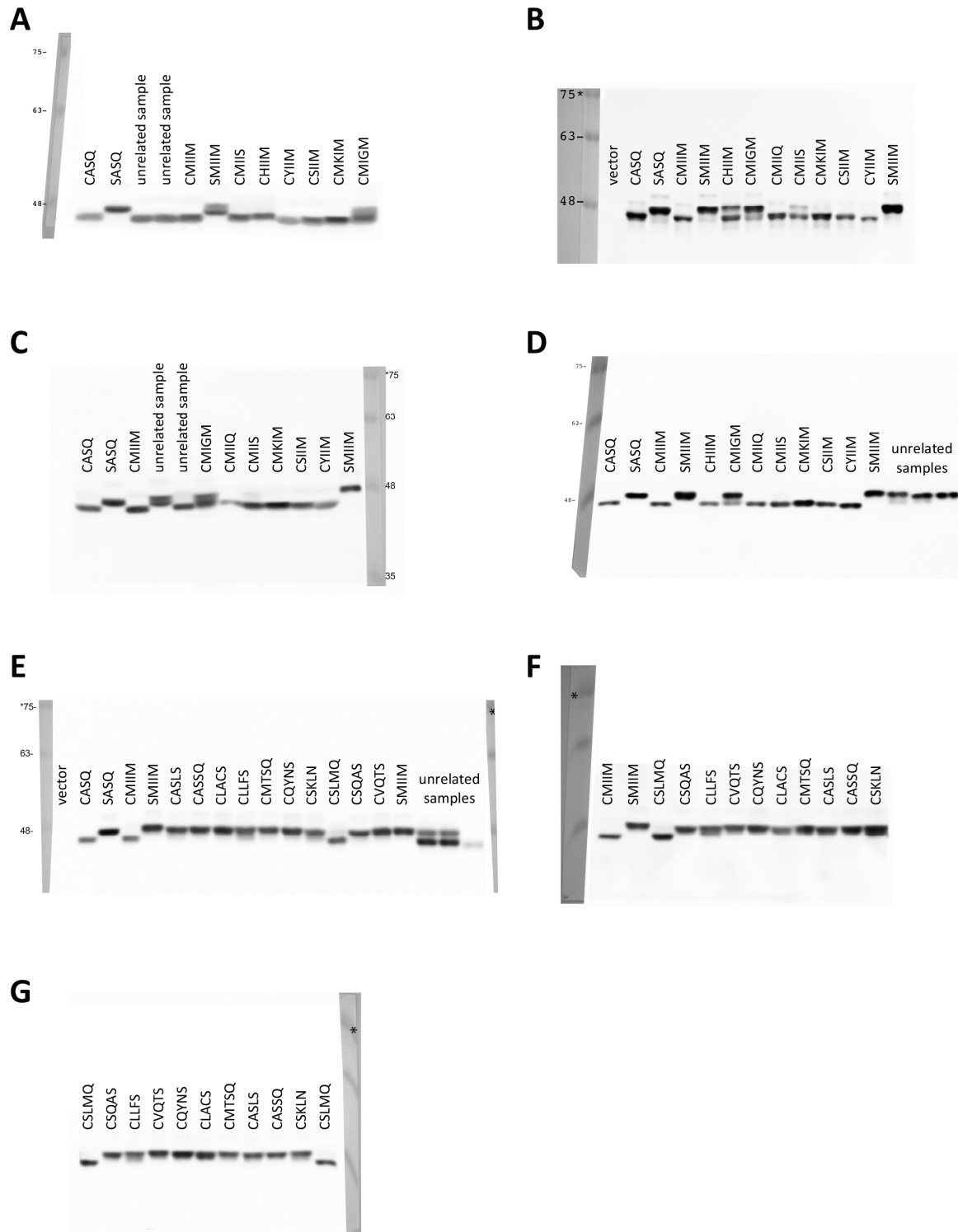


Figure S14. Mobility shift analysis of Ydj1p-CaaaX variants. A collage of anti-Ydj1p immunoblots representing the multiple biological and technical replicates of each Ydj1p-CaaaX variant that was analyzed in this study. Analysis was as described for Figures 5 and 6, with panels D and E representing uncropped versions of the blots used for Figures 5 and 6, respectively. These blots and the blot described for Figure S12 were used for determining the percent prenylation observed for each Ydj1p-CaaaX variant that is reported in Table S6. In each panel, the digital layer containing the anti-Ydj1p chemiluminescence signal is juxtaposed with the layer containing the prestained molecular weight standards that was captured in parallel under ambient light.

Strain	Genotype	Reference
yWS2542	<i>MATa his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 ura3Δ0 ram1::KAN^r ydj1::NAT^r</i>	[1]
yWS2544	<i>MATa his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 ura3Δ0 ydj1::NAT^r</i>	[1]

Table S5. Yeast strains used in this study.

plasmid	genotype	Reference
pRS416	<i>CEN URA3</i> (vector)	[2]
pWS942	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1</i>	[3]
pWS1132	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-SASQ</i>	[3]
pWS1488	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CMIIM</i>	[4]
pWS1917	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-SMIIM</i>	this study
pWS1918	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CMIIS</i>	this study
pWS1919	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CMIIQ</i>	this study
pWS1920	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CHIIM</i>	this study
pWS1921	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CYIIM</i>	this study
pWS1922	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CSIIM</i>	this study
pWS1923	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CMKIM</i>	this study
pWS1924	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CMIGM</i>	this study
pWS1981	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CSLMQ</i>	this study
pWS1982	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CSQAS</i>	this study
pWS1983	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CLLFS</i>	this study
pWS1984	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CVQTS</i>	this study
pWS1985	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CQYNS</i>	this study
pWS1986	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CLACS</i>	this study
pWS1987	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CMTSQ</i>	this study
pWS1988	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CASLS</i>	this study
pWS1989	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CASSQ</i>	this study
pWS1990	<i>CEN URA3 YDJ1-CSKLN</i>	this study

Table S6. Plasmids used in this study.

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